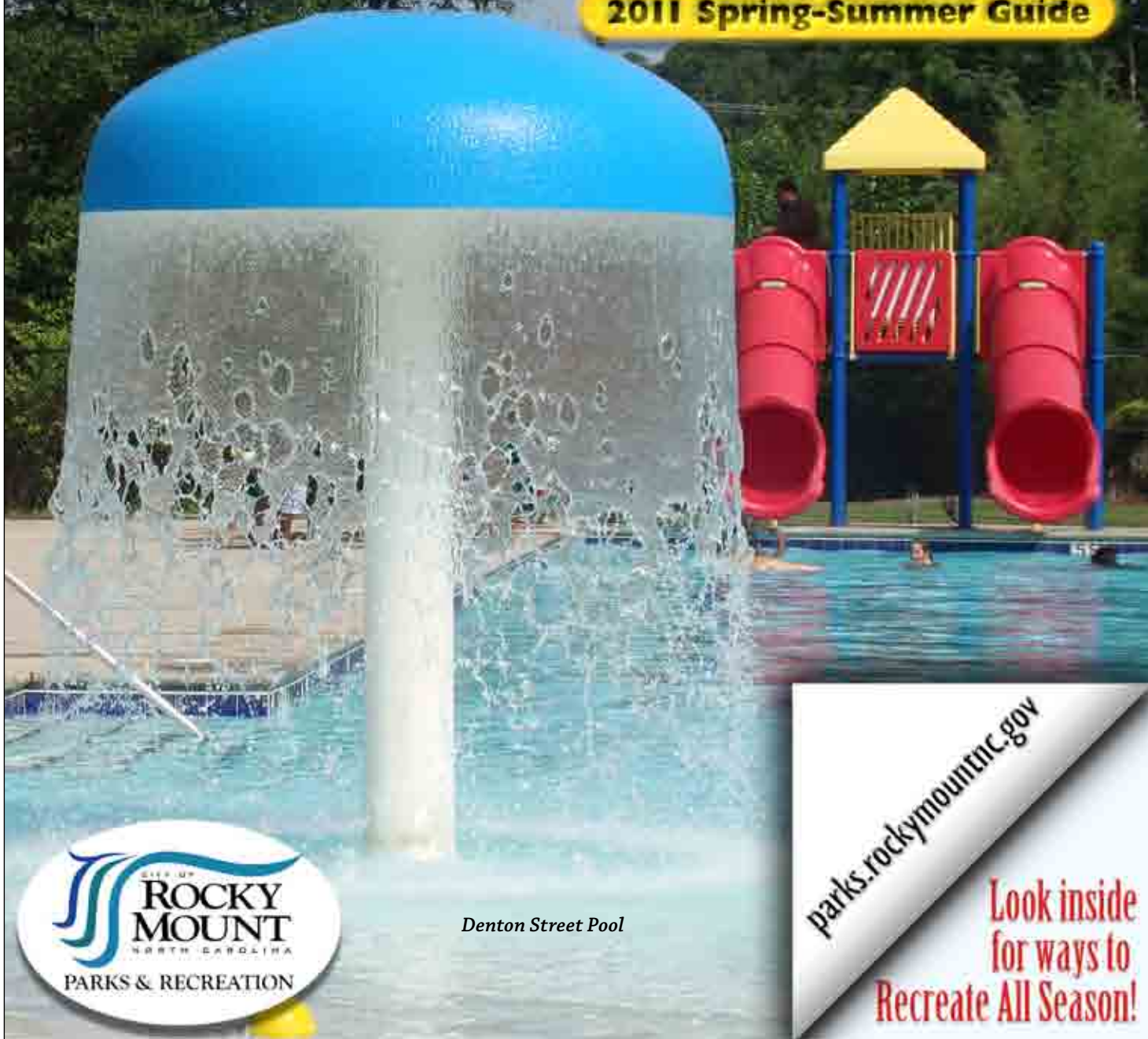


Rocky Mount Parks & Recreation Department

Creating Community Through

People, Parks & Programs

2011 Spring-Summer Guide



Denton Street Pool

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for ways to
Recreate All Season!

THURSDAYS

SUMMER 2011

MAY 5	THE EMBERS	JULY 14	JIM QUICK AND THE COASTLINE BAND
MAY 19	THE BAND OF OZ	JULY 28	THE WALLERS
JUNE 2	BLACK AND BLUE	AUGUST 11	THE TAMS
JUNE 16	THE CATALINAS	AUGUST 25	LIQUID PLEASURE
JUNE 30	THE HOLIDAY BAND	SEPTEMBER 8	THE CRAIG WOOLARD BAND

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Rocky Mount City Council Honors the Legacy of Maria V. Howard

The City of Rocky Mount is grateful to acknowledge a gift of \$1 million from the estate of Mrs. Maria V. Howard. Mrs. Howard, a charter member of the Rocky Mount Arts Center, designated that her gift be used to support Rocky Mount's cultural complex, the Imperial Centre for the Arts & Sciences. The Imperial Centre houses the Rocky Mount Children's Museum & Science Center and the Rocky Mount Arts Center.

At the meeting of the Rocky Mount City Council on November 8, 2010, the Council elected to commemorate Mrs. Howard's gift by renaming the Rocky Mount Arts Center in her honor. The City is pleased to announce that the Rocky Mount Arts Center is now "The Maria V. Howard Arts Center".

About Maria V. Howard

Maria V. Howard was born Maria Van de Velde on May 10, 1925 in Antwerp, Belgium. In Belgium, Ms. Howard worked for the U.S. Army where she learned to speak English. In 1945 after the liberation of Belgium, she married Major Herbert E. Howard, an American soldier, and came to live with her husband in Rocky Mount in 1946.

Maria Howard was a very artistically talented individual. She studied for five years at the Antwerp School of Design. She received her diploma after four years and planned to complete two more years, but all schools in Antwerp were closed in 1944-45 when the V-1's bombed the city. She was an expert seamstress who not only used her tailoring expertise to make virtually all of her own clothing, but designed the garments and made her own patterns. In 1966 she was featured in an article in *The Rocky Mount Sunday Telegram* for her tailoring talents.

Mrs. Howard was very active in Rocky Mount community life and kept detailed scrapbooks of the activities in which she was involved. She was a long time member of the Rocky Mount Garden Club, serving as President for the 1971-1972 term. She was a very talented flower arranger and a review of her scrapbooks reveals that she frequently won blue ribbons on the arrangements she entered in garden shows. Earlier this year, Mrs. Howard was made a lifetime member of the club.

Mrs. Howard was also a talented artist. She was instrumental in establishment of the Rocky Mount Arts Center before it became a part of the City's Parks



and Recreation Department and was a charter member. She participated in the landscaping of the Arts Center. Mrs. Howard was a staunch supporter of the building of the Imperial Centre for the Arts and Sciences and was honored at its grand opening in January 2006.

Maria Howard served for three years on the Sears Garden Club HANDS (Home and Neighborhood Development Sponsors) Board based in Atlanta, Georgia. HANDS sponsored beautification projects through Garden Clubs in 10 southeastern states that involved 75 cities. As the local HANDS chair, Mrs. Howard coordinated planting holly trees on Main Street and accepted an Award of Merit at the HANDS awards program in Nashville, Tennessee for the Battle Park gazebo and the planting of dogwood trees at City Lake, along U.S. Highway 301 Business and Highway 43.

Mrs. Howard's scrap books also reveal that she was a much sought after speaker for numerous clubs throughout the area where she reported on the customs of her native Belgium and life there before World War II, during the war when Belgium was occupied by Germany, and after the Liberation.

Additionally, in 1975, she was appointed by Mayor Frederick E. Turnage as Vice Chairman of the Rocky Mount Bicentennial Committee and chaired the Horizon's

subcommittee. She was a member of the Arts and Travel Book Club.

Mrs. Howard died on April 7, 2010. She is interred at Pineview Cemetery in Rocky Mount. Mrs. Howard's husband Herbert E. Howard preceded her in death by 19 years. Mrs. Howard was also predeceased by a son, Herbert Michael Howard, and her parents, Louis and Aida Van de Velde.

About The Maria V. Howard Arts Center

The Maria V. Howard Arts Center includes nine visual art galleries, a theatre, an arts education building, and a Gallery Shop.

The Center's visual art galleries host a variety of new exhibitions each calendar year as well as an exhibit featuring pieces from the Center's permanent collection. The Center's permanent collection consists of more than 300 works by artists primarily from North Carolina and the southeastern United States. The collection includes key regional artists such as Frances Speight, Sarah Blakeslee, Ben Owen, Sr., Mark Hewitt, Cynthia Bringle, Billie Ruth Sudduth, Hobson Pittman and Louis Orr. Acquisitions are funded through the City of Rocky Mount, the Friends of the Arts Center, Wilkinson Acquisition Fund and private donations.

The Theatre at the Imperial Centre is home to Rocky Mount's community theatre program, which presents four stage productions annually as well as a variety of other events. Stage productions at the Imperial Centre feature local talent both on the stage and in all other areas of stage production and include educational programs for children every summer. In March, 2011 the North Carolina Theatre Conference presented the Theatre with the Community Theatre Award, honoring excellence in production and community involvement.

The Arts Education Building is located in the former home of Braswell Memorial Library. The building was renovated as part of the development of the Imperial Centre, and now includes a painting studio, a clay studio, and a fiber studio. Area residents can utilize the space individually or can take part in the many classes offered throughout the year for all skill levels. Several local arts guilds also utilize the space, including the Tar River Basketweavers, the Tar River Piecemakers Quilting Guild, the Embroider's Guild of America-Tar River Chapter, and USA Dance-Rocky Mount Chapter.

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Athletic Field Rentals

Baseball and Softball field rentals: 972-1160

New Fee Structure: \$20/hour without lights

\$25/hour with lights

(\$10 refundable key deposit due)

LIST OF FIELDS

Soccer Fields

Bob Melton	Sports Complex 1-8
Englewood	Stith/Talbert
Senior Center	

Baseball Fields

Aycock	Hornbeam
Buck Leonard	Meadowbrook
Eastern Avenue	South Rocky Mount
Englewood	Sports Complex 1-6
Farmington	Stith/Talbert Park Field#1
Grover Lucas Field#1	Stith/Talbert Park Field#2
Grover Lucas Field#2	Sunset

Softball Fields

Eastern Avenue	South Rocky Mount Field#1
Englewood	South Rocky Mount Field#2
Hornbeam	Sports Complex 7-10

Picnic Shelter Reservations

RESERVING A PICNIC SHELTER

You can reserve a picnic shelter, pay for a reservation and/or check availability by calling 972-1151. You may also come by our office located at Rocky Mount City Hall, 331 S. Franklin Street, 3rd floor Parks and Recreation Administration. Picnic shelters can be reserved seven days a week from 7:00 am to 11:00 pm. The Parks and Recreation Administrative Offices are open 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Monday – Friday. Reservations are taken until 4:30 pm.

New Fee Structure for Shelter Rentals:

Medium Shelter

City residents:	\$15.00 for the first two hours
	\$6.00 for each additional hour
Non-city residents:	\$22.50 for the first two hours
	\$6.00 for each additional hour

Large Shelter at Sunset Park / Sports Complex

City Residents:	\$30.00 for the first two hours
	\$10.00 each additional hour
Non-city residents:	\$45.00 for the first two hours
	\$10.00 for each additional hour

Gazebo Rentals

\$50.00 per hour (2 hour minimum)

Picnic Shelters are available for rent at the following parks:

Battle Park*	Hornbeam Park
Bea Holman Park	Marigold Park
Buck Leonard Park	Martin Luther King Jr. Park
Charter Oaks Park	Meadowbrook Park
Cloverdale Park	Southside Park
Eastern Avenue Park	Sports Complex
Englewood Park	Stith-Talbert Park
Grover Lucas Park	Sunset Park
Holly Street Park	Thelonius Monk Park
Home Street Park	Three Sisters Park

*Gazebo rental for weddings.

PICNIC SHELTER RULES

1. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED.
2. CLEAN SHELTER AREA AFTER USE.
3. ARRIVE AND DEPART AREA AT SCHEDULED TIME.
4. AMPLIFIED SOUND PROHIBITED WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM CHIEF OF POLICE.
5. PLACE TRASH IN TRASH CANS.
6. VEHICLES ALLOWED ONLY IN DESIGNATED PARKING AREAS.
7. BALL FIELDS, TENNIS COURTS, AND OR PLAY EQUIPMENT NOT ASSUMED TO BE RESERVED WITH SHELTER.

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General Information

Administration.....	972-1151
Arts Center: General Information	972-1163
Imperial Centre Box Office	972-1266
Athletics (R.M. Wilson Gym)	972-1160
Booker T. Washington Community Center	467-4925
Cemeteries.....	972-1158
Children's Museum & Science Center	972-1167
Dale Smith,	972-1153
Director of Parks & Recreation	
Field Reservations.....	972-1160

Outdoor Programs	972-1235
Parks Maintenance	467-4927
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Recreation Services Division	467-4902
Senior Center	972-1152
Sports Complex.....	467-6483
South Rocky Mount Community Center	972-1169
Sunset Park.....	446-0500
Denton Pool.....	977-6231

VISA and MASTERCARD are accepted for payment of fees at all of our sites and the the 3rd floor Administrative Office at City Hall.

CITY OF ROCKY MOUNT ADMINISTRATION

Charles Penny, *City Manager*
Peter Varney, *Assistant City Manager*
Vacant, *Assistant City Manager*

ROCKY MOUNT MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL

David Combs, <i>Mayor</i>	Lois Watkins, <i>Ward 4</i>
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Reuben Blackwell IV, <i>Ward 2</i>	W.B. Bullock, <i>Ward 6</i>
Lamont Wiggins, <i>Ward 3</i>	Chris Miller, <i>Ward 7</i>

Community Building Rentals

IMPERIAL CENTRE

The Imperial Centre, located at 270 Gay Street, has various rooms and outdoor areas available for rent which are ideal for business or social functions. Indoor areas available for rental range from 525 square feet to just over 7,000 square feet. Rental rates are by the hour, with special rates available for non-profit organizations. Facility Use Applications may be obtained by visiting the Imperial Centre Receptionist Desk or by calling 972-1266. Rental of all spaces is based on availability. Rental by individuals will be charged the "For profit group" rate.

COMMUNITY AND SENIOR CENTERS

BTW Community Center, South Rocky Mount Community Center, and Rocky Mount Senior Center all have rooms that are available for rental. We welcome anyone interested to contact any of these facilities at the numbers listed below for more information:

BTW Community Community Center	467-4902
South Rocky Mount Community Center..	972-1170
Rocky Mount Senior Center.....	972-1152
Battleboro Community Center.....	972-1151

A Message from the Parks & Recreation Director

Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation Department's MISSION STATEMENT

To advance the quality of life by providing positive, inclusive experiences through people, parks, and programs.



Rocky Mount Residents:

After such a cold winter, The Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation Department is looking forward to an exciting and warm spring! We are continuing to develop programs and/or facilities that we hope you and your family will utilize sometime in the very near future. Fall 2010 brought a number of new things to the department. We have just completed an additional mile of trail that connects the Sports Complex to the Tar River Trail. This was made possible through a number of different funding sources but the major contributors were the City of Rocky Mount, Parks and Recreation Trust Fund (PARTF) and the Recreation Trail Program (RTP) fund. We are really proud of this addition to the trail and would like for everyone to experience it as soon as possible.

The newly renovated Booker T. Theatre located on the Douglas Block has also become a realization for the department. The Maria V. Howard Arts Center staff will be operating this facility and will be providing a variety of events and programs throughout the year. Booker T. Theatre will be an extremely attractive rental facility for business meetings, weddings, concerts and private parties. The renovation is quite exquisite and will be a signature facility for the area.

The department is also hosting a new statewide workshop. Recreation Resources Service from NCSU (Director, Pete Armstrong) is partnering with the department to organize the "Women's Leadership Workshop, Professional Development in Recreation and Parks" to be held in Rocky Mount on April 7th and 8th at the Doubletree Inn and the Imperil Centre for the Arts and Sciences. There will be 75 professionals from all over the state visiting Rocky Mount. The National Recreation and Park Association leadership out of DC will be involved. We are proud that Rocky Mount will be the inaugural host for this workshop.

Finally, please make sure you don't forget us for the following upcoming programs and/or events:

Summer Camp Registration

Downtown Live Summer Music Series

Lawn Chair Theatre Outdoor Movie Series

Independence Celebration

March 7th until camps are full

Begins Thursday, May 5th at Imperial Center

Begins Friday, June 10th at Imperial Centre

July 3rd at Rocky Mount Stadium

Look forward to seeing you in the park!

Dale Smith

Director



CHECK OUT OUR EVENTS ON THE CITY'S NEW WEB CALENDAR!
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The Health Kids Collaborative (HKC) is committed to reducing the Body Mass Index (BMI) of the children ages 2-4 in Nash and Edgecombe counties. Presently 33.5% of Edgecombe and 28.7% of Nash County Children are at risk or currently overweight as measured by the BMI.

To achieve this desired impact of reducing childhood obesity in the two counties we have come together with other organizations, government agencies, and concerned citizens of the two counties. Together HKC has organized several ongoing events to help families, doctors, and child care providers realize the importance of a healthy diet and exercise for our children. Some of these events and resources include the following:

Days of Play events held in the springtime at local parks provide families opportunity to get outside and play, learn about resources available that help them maintain a healthy lifestyle.

Expanded Food and Nutrition Classes conducted by Cooperative Extension held at Down East Partnership for Children and other organizations throughout the two counties give information and hands on teaching about healthy cooking, shopping tips, and food safety.

Places to Play and Grow Maps detailing the various free opportunities for being active in the two counties give families the opportunity to try out new places to play and experience more of Nash and Edgecombe Counties. Maps can be found at Health Departments, Social Services, Libraries, Parks and Recreations, and local hospitals - just to name a few.

Participating doctors office have resource information on living a healthier lifestyle.

These are just few of the many ways the Healthy Kids Collaborative is working to help the children and families of Nash and Edgecombe become healthier.

Please Contact Melissa Lowry or Kathy Nall, Healthy Kids Coordinators at the Down East Partnership for Children, 985-4300 if you would like more information on the Healthy Kids Collaborative.

Did you know? Down East Partnership for Children's Discovery Park, 215 Lexington Street Rocky Mount, is an accessible park open to the public Monday through Friday.



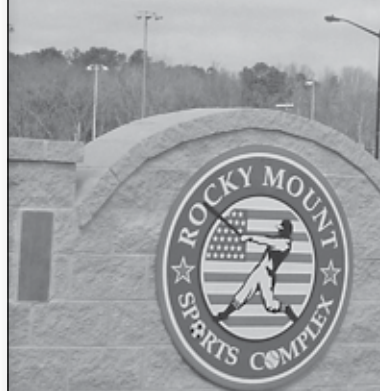
Look for the Healthy Kids Collaborative "jogging apple" in this publication for some great "healthy kids" physical activity opportunities!

Rocky Mount Sports Complex

Sports Complex

2011 ROCKY MOUNT SPORTS COMPLEX BASEBALL/SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

		Contact	Phone Number	Email
March 5-6	Top Gun Coaches Appreciation Tournament	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
March 12-13	NC USFA Knockin off the Rust	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
March 19-20	USSSA Reebok NIT	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
March 26-27	TRIPLE CROWN SPRING TRAINING	Matt Pilcher	970-672-0562	matt@triplecrownsports.com
April 2-3	NC USFA Swing Into Spring	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
April 1-3	Iron Mike Tournament			
April 9-10	Top Gun Battle for the Beach Tournament	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
April 16-17	NC USFA April Showdown	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
April 16-17	Breakfast Optimist Club Tournament			
April 23-24	EASTER (Closed)			
Apr. 30-May 1	TRIPLE CROWN BORDER WARS IV	Matt Pilcher	970-672-0562	matt@triplecrownsports.com
May 7-8	NC USFA Mother's Day at the Park	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
May 14-15	Carolina Pride NIT	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
May 21-22	Top Gun Championship Hat Weekend	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
May 28-29	MEMORIAL DAY (COMPLEX CLOSED)			
June 4-5	TOP GUN Super NIT	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
June 11-12	USSSA NC State Playoffs	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
June 18-19	TOP GUN Summer State Championships	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
June 25-26	NC USFA Bring the Heat	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
June 30-July 4	Top Gun Summer World Series Championships	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
Aug 13-14	NC USFA	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
Aug 20-21	Top Gun Championship Hat Weekend	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
Aug 27-28	USSSA Back to School Blast NIT	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
Sept. 3-4	Labor Day (Complex Closed)			
Sept. 10	DOWN EAST VIKING CLASSIC			
Sept. 11	Top Gun One Day Tournament	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
Sept. 17-18	Top Gun Phiten Necklace Tournament	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
Sept. 24-25	USSSA Fall Championship NIT	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
Oct. 1-2	Top Gun Super NIT	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
Oct 8-9	USSSA Battle of the Best NIT	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
Oct. 15-16	NC USFA	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
Oct 15-16	Fall Baseball Tournament			
Oct. 22-23	Top Gun Championship Hat Weekend	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net
Oct. 29-30	USSSA Halloween Havoc NIT	Joe Hill	336-608-5391	joehill@carolinasports.org
Nov. 5-6	NC USFA	Rod Skinner	252-290-1190	raskinner@embarqmail.com
Nov. 11-13	Top Gun Winter World Series	Ray Stallings	252-908-2994	raystallings@orss.net



ROCKY MOUNT
PARKS & RECREATION
600 Independence Drive

311 HILL STREET IN THE RM WILSON ATHLETIC CENTER • Hours of Operation: 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM, Monday-Friday

- **The Mission of the City of Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation Department Athletic Division is to enhance the community's quality of life by providing exceptional Youth and Adult Athletic leagues, programs and services.**
- **Ages Served: 5-100.**
- **Youth Programs offered: Spring Baseball Leagues, Girl's Softball Leagues, Track and Field Team, Tackle Football, Cheerleading, Flag Football, Fall Baseball Leagues, Girl's Volleyball Leagues, Boy's Basketball Leagues, Girl's Basketball Leagues**
- **Adult programs offered: Spring Church / Open / Co-rec Softball Leagues, Sand Volleyball Leagues, Indoor Volleyball Leagues, Fall Church / Co-rec Softball Leagues, Open / Industrial Basketball Leagues, Year-round Tennis Doubles League, Spring and Fall Tennis Ladder, Spring Disc Golf League**
- **Special Events, Camps, and Services offered: Cheerleading camp, Soccer camp, Athletes In Action All-Sports Camp, Breakfast Optimist Tri-star Baseball and Basketball Competitions, Elks Lodge Free Throw Shooting Contest, Sweetheart 5K Run, Punt Pass and Kick Competition, Hershey Track and Field Meet, Reservations and Rentals of Outdoor Athletic Facilities.**

YOUTH

Program: Tackle Football League

Description: Learn the fundamentals of tackle football while participating in the ENC Tackle Football League.

Location: Home games played at Nash Central HS and travel to nearby cities/communities for away games.

Age: 7-12 (as of 8/1/11)

Rookie-ages 7-8

JV-ages 9-10

Varsity-ages 11-12

Days, Times, Dates: Practice/Tryouts begin August, 2011. Games played on Saturdays beginning in September, 2011 (times may vary).

***Fee:** Accident Insurance (Optional) \$7.00

\$70 (city resident); \$85 (non-city resident)

Registration Info: Registration begins May 2, 2011. Forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Adm. Office (3rd floor) and online @ www.rocky-mountnc.gov/parks.

Program: Fall Cheerleading Program (tackle football)

Description: Learn the basic fundamentals and techniques of cheerleading.

Location: Home games at Nash Central HS and travel to nearby cities/communities for away games.

Age: 6-12 (as of 8/1/11)

Days, Times, Dates: Practice begins August, 2011; Cheer on Saturdays beginning in September, 2011 (times may vary).

***Fees:** Accident Insurance (Optional) \$7.00

\$70 (city residents); \$85 (non-city residents); Price includes cold weather gear!

Registration Info: Registration begins May 2, 2011. Forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Adm. Office (3rd floor) and online @ www.rocky-mountnc.gov.



Program: Youth "Hot Shot" Soccer Fall League

Description: Quality recreational soccer opportunities in a fun atmosphere that strives to create a positive environment based on mutual respect and good sportsmanship. Our goal is to teach young soccer players basic skills and to promote the enjoyment of the game in a fun atmosphere. RMPRD reserves the right to combine age divisions and genders when appropriate and necessary.

Location: Practices at local Rocky Mount fields. Games at Rocky Mount Sports Complex.

Age: 3-12 (as of 8/1/11)

Days, Times, Dates: Games- Weeknights and Saturdays; Practices- varies, coach determined.

***Fee:** Accident Insurance (Optional) \$7.00

City Resident-\$35.00; Non-city Resident \$45.00

Early Bird Discount of \$5.00 for registration completed prior to July 29, 2011

Registration Info: Registration begins June 24, 2011. Forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Admin. Office (3rd floor) and online at www.rockymountnc.gov/parks. Early bird discount of \$5 for registration completed prior to July 29, 2011.



YOUTH SUMMER CAMPS!

Program: "Athletes in Action" Sports Camps

Description: This half-day camp will provide instruction on basic techniques in various non-traditional sports.

Location: Drop off and pick up at RM Wilson Gym

Ages: 9-13

Days, Times, Dates:

CAMP A: June 20-24, 2011 from 9:00am-2:00pm

CAMP B: July 11-15, 2011 from 9:00am-2:00pm

***Fee:** \$40 city residents; \$50 non-city residents

Registration Info: Registration begins April 4, 2011-deadline 6/13/11. Forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Adm. Office (3rd floor) and online @ www.rockymountnc.gov/parks/athletics.



Program: Premier UK Youth Summer Soccer Skills Camp – July 11-15, 2011

Description: This camp focuses on teaching the fundamental techniques of the game and showing players how to master these skills. Taylor-made for junior players with a fun and friendly atmosphere, players live and breathe the game for a week.

Location: Rocky Mount Sports Complex Soccer fields.

Age: 7-9 years and 10-12 years

Days, Times, Dates: Monday-Friday; 9am-12:00 noon.

***Fees:** \$100 per player (includes a Premier UK Soccer T-shirt)

Registration Info: Registration begins – deadline . If interested, email your child's name and age to Premier UK via athompson.premieruk@gmail.com. Phone number: 336-263-7347



Program: Youth Soccer Camp – July 18-22, 2011

Description: This half-day camp will teach basic technical skills of soccer in a fun environment. Sessions will be divided into several age groups.

Location: Rocky Mount Sports Complex Soccer fields.

Age: 6-12

Days, Times, Dates: Monday-Friday; 9am-12:00 noon.

***Fees:** \$40 city residents; \$50 non-city residents

Registration Info: Registration begins April 4, 2011-deadline 7/1/11. Forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Adm. Office (3rd floor) and online www.rockymountnc.gov/parks.





Program: Cheerleading Camp
– July 25-28, 2011

Description: Instruction on basic cheering techniques and chants.

Location: RM Wilson Gym

Age: 6-12

Days, Times, Dates: July 25-28, 2011; Monday-Thursday from 6-7:30pm.

***Fees:** \$25 city residents; \$35 non-city residents

Registration Info: Registration begins April 4, 2011; deadline 7/15/11. Forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Adm. Office (3rd floor) and online @ www.rockymountnc.gov/parks.



Church Men's League

Team - \$470.00

Non City Residents – Additional \$20.00 per player

Co-Rec League

Team - \$340.00

Non-City Residents – Additional \$20.00 per player

Women's League

Team - \$340.00

Non-City Residents – Additional \$20.00 per player

Registration Window: March 15-April 22, 2011



ADULT

Program: Adult Softball League

Description: Four leagues will be offered: Industrial Men's League, Church Men's League, Co-Rec League & Women's League. Games will be played at the Rocky Mount Sports Complex.

Age: 16 and older

Days, Dates, Times: Organizational Meeting Tuesday, March 15, 2011 @ 6:30pm at the RM Wilson Gym. Season will begin May, 2011.

Fees: Industrial League

Team - \$470.00

Non City Residents – Additional \$20.00 per player

Registration Info: Registration forms/ROSTERS will be available at RM Wilson Gym, and online at www.rockymountnc.gov/parks.

Program: Adult Soccer League

Description: The City of Rocky Mount will be offering an Adult Co-Rec Soccer League. The season will begin mid-September, 2011. The league will play 7 V 7 week-nights at the Rocky Mount Sports Complex. Each team should consist of at least 10 players, with a minimum of 2 females. Join as a team or sign up as an individual, ages 16 and older. The fee includes regular season & tournament games, referees, scorekeeper, team shirts and awards for Regular Season Champions as well as Tournament Awards.

Location: Rocky Mount Sports Complex

Age: 16 and older

Days, Dates, Times: Weeknights starting in September, 2011

Fees: City Resident--\$35.00

Non-City Resident--\$45.00

Registration Info: Registration forms will be available at RM Wilson Gym, City Hall P&R Adm. Office (3rd Floor) and online at www.rockymountnc.gov/parks.

Program: Adult Sand Volleyball

Description: Recreation volleyball played in a fun, but competitive environment.

Location: Sunset Park Sand Volleyball Courts and Sports Complex

Age: 16 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Weeknights @ 6:30 pm beginning in July, 2011

Fee: City Resident--\$35.00

Non-City Resident--\$45.00

Registration Info: Registration begins May, 2011-deadline Friday, July 15, 2011. Contact Julie Baggett @ 972-1161, for more information or email Julie. Baggett@rockymountnc.gov.

TENNIS LEAGUES

Program: Doubles Tennis

Description: Year-round program; men and women; all skill levels welcome

Location: League plays at Sunset Park tennis courts

Age: 16-adult

Days, Times, Dates: Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays; Times may vary; Year-round.

Fee: none

Registration Info: For more information, call Dennis Benjamin @ 469-6598.

QUICKSTART TENNIS

QuickStart Tennis is an exciting new play format for learning tennis, designed to bring young kids into the game by utilizing specialized equipment, shorter court dimensions, foam type ball that



moves slower, bounces lower and travels less.

The City of Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation Department will offer two QuickStart Tennis Sessions throughout the summer. The four week session is divided into three different age levels: ages 5-6, 7-8, and ages 9-10.

Session 1—QuickStart Tennis Sessions will be held on Saturday mornings

Date: Saturdays June 4-June 25

Ages: 4-13

Time: 10:00am-12:00pm

Ages 4-6—10:00am

Ages 7-10—10:30am

Ages 11-13—11:15am

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$15.00

Registration Deadline: Friday, May 27

Session 2—QuickStart Tennis Sessions will be held on Monday evenings

Date: Mondays August 8-August 29

Ages: 4-13

Time: 6:30pm-8:30pm

Ages 4-6—6:30pm

Ages 7-10—7:00pm

Ages 11-13—7:45pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$15.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, August 1

YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS

Youth will be taught the basic rules of tennis, keeping score and tennis etiquette. Skill development and concentration will be on forehand and backhand, ground strokes, serving and volleying.



Session 1—Youth Tennis Lessons

Date: Monday's July 11-August 1

Ages: 7-13

Time: 6:30pm-7:30pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$15.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, June 27

Session 2—Youth Tennis Lessons

Date: Saturday's September 10-October 1

Ages: 7-13

Time: 10:00am-11:00am

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$15.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, August 29

YOUTH TENNIS CAMP

Join the City of Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation for a week long Youth Tennis Camp. Emphasis will be placed on fun games while enhancing their tennis skill.



Week 1—Youth Tennis Camp

Date: July 18-22

Ages: 7-13

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$40.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, July 11

Week 2—Youth Tennis Camp

Date: August 8-12

Ages: 7-13

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$40.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, August 1

ADULT TENNIS CLINICS

Adult clinics will cover basic rules of tennis, keeping score and tennis etiquette with skill development and concentration will be on forehand and backhand, ground strokes, serving and volleying. You can always practice your stroke and find ways to improve them!

Session 1—Adult Tennis Clinic

Date: Fridays, July 8- July 29

Ages: 16 and older

Time: 6:30pm-7:30pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$20.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, June 27

Session 2—Adult Tennis Clinic

Date: Wednesdays, September 7- September 28

Ages: 16 and older

Time: 6:30pm-7:30pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: \$20.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, September 5

"MEET YOU AT THE PARK"

Starting May 2, come out and join others at Sunset Park Tennis Courts for semi-organized match play for adults and a great way to find new tennis challenges. There is no fee to participate.

Doubles Tennis

Date: Tuesdays

Ages: 16 and older

Time: 7:00pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: None

Registration Deadline: None

Doubles Tennis

Date: Saturdays

Ages: 16 and older

Time: 9:00am

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: None

Registration Deadline: None

Singles Tennis

Date: Thursdays

Ages: 16 and older

Time: 7:00pm

Location: Sunset Park Tennis Courts

Fee: None

Registration Deadline: None

FIELD RENTALS



Baseball and Softball field rentals – call 972-1160

Fee: \$20/hour without lights

\$25/hour with lights

(\$10 refundable key deposit required)

ADDITIONAL NOTES

- Additional non-city resident fee due, if you reside outside Rocky Mount city limits.
- Optional Voluntary Accident Insurance available for youth participants-\$7.00/child.
- *Fees subject to change.
- For more information, contact Athletics office @ 252-972-1160.
- For printable registration forms, visit our website www.rockymountnc.gov/parks

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER 727 Pennsylvania Avenue

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm
Gymnasium: Monday - Friday 5:00 - 8:00 pm
Saturday 1:00 - 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Recreation Services Division serves all ages from preschool to seniors. Programs include summer camps, after school programs, youth basketball, step teams, workshop seminars and dance classes.

SOUTH ROCKY MOUNT COMMUNITY CENTER 547 Ravenwood Drive

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm
Saturday & Sunday 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

All summer programs offered through Recreation Services will have a one time **\$20.00** registration fee. Registration fee must be paid when enrolling participant into program.

Program: Winstead Avenue Summer Day Camp



Description: Campers participate in various recreation activities such as kickball, arts and crafts, and other sports. Campers will take various in town and out of town field trips.

Days, Time, Dates:

Week 1: Monday, June 13, 2011 to Friday, June 17, 2011
Week 2: Monday, June 20, 2011 to Friday, 24, 2011
Week 3: Monday, June 27, 2011 to Friday, July1, 2011
Week 4: Monday, July 4, 2011 to Friday, July 8, 2011
*No camp July 4th
Week 5: Monday, July 11, 2011 to Friday, July 15, 2011
Week 6: Monday, July 18, 2011 to Friday, July 22, 2011
Week 7: Monday, July 25, 2011 to Friday, July 29, 2011
Week 8: Monday, August 1, 2011 to August 5, 2011
Week 9: Monday, August 8, 2011 to Friday, August 13, 2011

Ages: 5-8

Cost: \$72 residents; \$82 non-residents per week

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925



Program: Englewood Summer Day Camp

Description: Campers participate in various recreation activities such as kickball, arts and



crafts, and other sports. Campers will take various in town and out of town field trips.

Days, Time, Dates:

Week 1: Monday, June 13, 2011 to Friday, June 17, 2011
Week 2: Monday, June 20, 2011 to Friday, 24, 2011
Week 3: Monday, June 27, 2011 to Friday, July1, 2011
Week 4: Monday, July 4, 2011 to Friday, July 8, 2011
*No camp July 4th
Week 5: Monday, July 11, 2011 to Friday, July 15, 2011
Week 6: Monday, July 18, 2011 to Friday, July 22, 2011
Week 7: Monday, July 25, 2011 to Friday, July 29, 2011
Week 8: Monday, August 1, 2011 to August 5, 2011
Week 9: Monday, August 8, 2011 to Friday, August 13, 2011

Ages: 9-12

Cost: \$72 residents; \$82 non-residents per week

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925

Program: Teen Camp at Benvenue (formerly C.I.T.) Program *NEW PROGRAM!

Description: Campers will participate in various group initiatives such as ropes course, kayaking, and mountain climbing. Campers will travel to various colleges for educational experiences.

Days, Time, Dates:

Week 1: Monday, June 13, 2011 to Friday, June 17, 2011
Week 2: Monday, June 20, 2011 to Friday, 24, 2011
Week 3: Monday, June 27, 2011 to Friday, July1, 2011
Week 4: Monday, July 4, 2011 to Friday, July 8, 2011
*No camp July 4th



Week 5: Monday, July 11, 2011 to Friday, July 15, 2011
Week 6: Monday, July 18, 2011 to Friday, July 22, 2011
Week 7: Monday, July 25, 2011 to Friday, July 29, 2011
Week 8: Monday, August 1, 2011 to August 5, 2011
Week 9: Monday, August 8, 2011 to Friday, August 13, 2011

Ages: 13-16

Cost: \$72 residents; \$82 non-residents per week

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925

Program: Quest Program at South Rocky Mount Community Center



Description: Campers participate in various recreation activities such as kickball, arts and crafts, and other sports.

Days, Time, Dates:

Week 1: Monday, June 13, 2011 to Friday, June 17, 2011
Week 2: Monday, June 20, 2011 to Friday, 24, 2011
Week 3: Monday, June 27, 2011 to Friday, July1, 2011
Week 4: Monday, July 4, 2011 to Friday, July 8, 2011
*No camp July 4th
Week 5: Monday, July 11, 2011 to Friday, July 15, 2011
Week 6: Monday, July 18, 2011 to Friday, July 22, 2011
Week 7: Monday, July 25, 2011 to Friday, July 29, 2011
Week 8: Monday, August 1, 2011 to August 5, 2011
Week 9: Monday, August 8, 2011 to Friday, August 13, 2011

Ages: 5-12

Cost: \$25 per week

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925

Program: Quest Program at Baskerville

Description: Campers participate in various recreation activities such as kickball, arts and crafts, and other sports.



Days, Time, Dates:

Week 1: Monday, June 13, 2011 to Friday, June 17, 2011
Week 2: Monday, June 20, 2011 to Friday, 24, 2011
Week 3: Monday, June 27, 2011 to Friday, July1, 2011



Week 4: Monday, July 4, 2011 to Friday, July 8, 2011

*No camp July 4th

Week 5: Monday, July 11, 2011 to Friday, July 15, 2011

Week 6: Monday, July 18, 2011 to Friday, July 22, 2011

Week 7: Monday, July 25, 2011 to Friday, July 29, 2011

Week 8: Monday, August 1, 2011 to August 5, 2011

Week 9: Monday, August 8, 2011 to Friday, August 13, 2011

Ages: 5-12

Cost: \$25 per week

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925

Program: Quest Program at O.R. Pope

Description: Campers participate in various recreation activities such as kickball, arts and crafts, and other sports.

Days, Time, Dates:



Week 1: Monday, June 13, 2011 to Friday, June 17, 2011

Week 2: Monday, June 20, 2011 to Friday, June 24, 2011

Week 3: Monday, June 27, 2011 to Friday, July 1, 2011

Week 4: Monday, July 4, 2011 to Friday, July 8, 2011

*No camp July 4th

Week 5: Monday, July 11, 2011 to Friday, July 15, 2011

Week 6: Monday, July 18, 2011 to Friday, July 22, 2011

Week 7: Monday, July 25, 2011 to Friday, July 29, 2011

Week 8: Monday, August 1, 2011 to August 5, 2011

Week 9: Monday, August 8, 2011 to Friday, August 13, 2011

Ages: 5-12

Cost: \$25 per week

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925

Program: Summer Swim Lessons

Description: Swimmers will be taught swimming lessons by American Red Cross Standards.

Days, Time, Dates:

Session I: June 16-June 26, 9a-10a, Ages 6-14

Session II: June 16-June 26, 6p-7p, Ages 6-Adult

Session III: July 14-July 24, 9a-10a, Ages 6-14

Session IV: July 14-July 24, 6p-7p, Ages 16-Adult

Session V: July 28-August 7, 9a-10a, Ages 2-6 (Adult must accompany child into water)

Session VI: July 28-August 7, 6p-7p, Ages 6-Adult

Cost: \$30 per person

Additional Information: Registration begins Monday, March 7, 2011. For additional information contact Recreation Services at 252-467-4925



The mission of the Outdoor Recreation Division is to enhance leisure opportunities in the outdoors by providing programs and facilities that promote physical activity, develop skills, and build awareness of natural resources.

OUTDOOR RECREATION PROGRAMS

The City of Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation Department Outdoor Recreation Division offers a variety of outdoor experiences with beginners in mind. No experience needed, but a positive mindset is required! Trips are open to all ages unless otherwise noted. Children must be accompanied by an adult. For trip-specific information and requirements, please contact Outdoor Recreation Supervisor David Griffin at david.griffin@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1235 (leave message).

Outdoor cancellation / refund policy:

Outdoor Recreation trips will proceed in cases of less than perfect, but reasonable weather conditions. Cancellations due to severe weather will be made by staff, within 12-24 hours of the trip. Prior to the registration deadline, participant withdrawal will be assessed a 15% fee. Due to the small activity roster, no refunds will be made after the registration deadline.

BARRIER ISLAND FERRY TRIP

Harkers Island to Cape Lookout National Seashore Ferry

Date, Time: Saturday, May 21, 7a-8p

Fee: \$40 per participant / \$65 per pair

Registration deadline: May 13

Ride a passenger ferry (fee included) to a remote beach for a relaxing day searching for seashells, watching the waves and possibly a few wild ponies. Trip is a single day excursion, departing from Rocky Mount in the



Hammocks Beach State Park, Swansboro, NC

early morning and returning the evening of the same day. Transportation, ferry, guide and lunch provided.

Barrier Island Ferry Trip Notes: This is a BEACH TRIP; wind, waves and powerboats are present. We will ride on small passenger ferry(s). Participants must be in reasonable physical condition. You may get wet during the ferry ride due to water spraying.

CANOE QUICKIES

Fee: \$20 per participant / \$30 per pair

Registration deadline: Four business days before the trip.

Join the Outdoor Recreation Division for an evening "quickie" canoe trip on a local waterway, perfect for families, beginners and seasoned paddlers looking for their weekday paddling fix. Transportation, guides and canoes are provided.

Lamon's Ferry to Nashville Rd

Date, Time: Wednesday, June 1, 5:50p-9p

Battle Park to Neville Lane

Date, Time: Wednesday, June 15, 5:50p-9p

Neville Lane to Leggett Rd

Date, Time: Wednesday, July 13, 5:50p-9p

Lamon's Ferry to Nashville Rd

Date, Time: Monday, August 22, 5:50p-9p

Canoe Quickie notes: Canoe quickies are CANOE trips on waterways in the Rocky Mount area; current, mud, and wildlife are present. Participants must be in good physical condition, able to paddle consistently and with power in relation to size. Due to the capacity of the canoe, the maximum weight per paddler is approximately 240 lbs. Canoe may roll. Participants must stay with group.

COASTAL KAYAK TRIPS

Fee: \$40 per participant / \$65 per pair

Registration deadline: Eight days prior to the trip.

All trips are a single day excursion, departing from Rocky Mount in the early morning and returning the evening of the same day. Transportation, guides, equipment, kayaks and lunch provided.

Scuppernong River, Columbia, NC

Date, Time: Saturday, May 7, 7a-6p

The Scuppernong is the beautiful cypress-lined river that is crossed as you enter Columbia on the way to Manteo.

Hammocks Beach State Park, Swansboro, NC

Date, Time: Saturday, June 4, 6a-7p

Enjoy the Hammocks Beach State Park paddle trail.

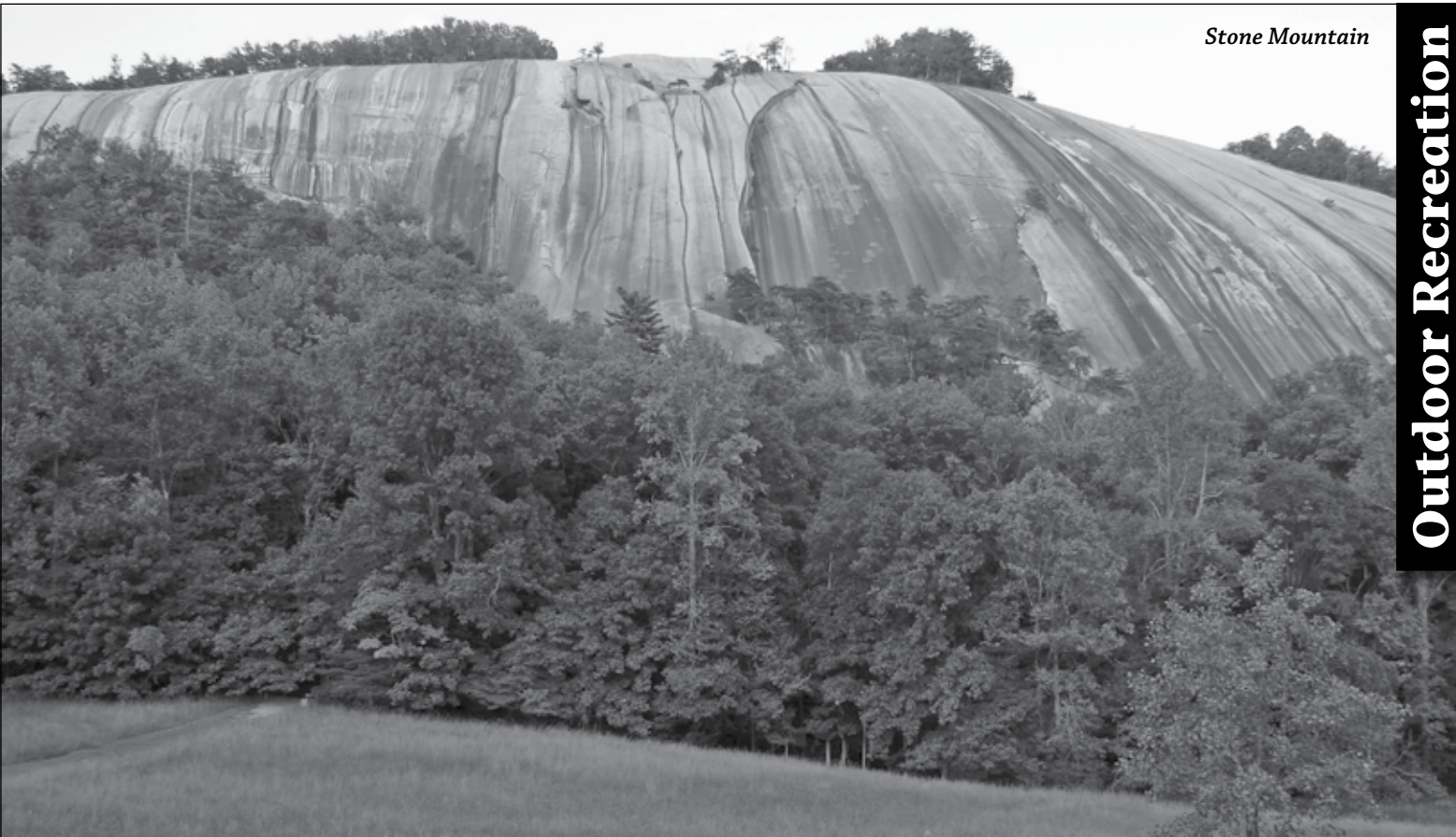
Drum Inlet, Atlantic, NC

Date, Time: Saturday, June 25, 6a-7p

parks.rockymountnc.gov

Cape Lookout





Find solace as you paddle one of the last undeveloped areas of the Carolina coast.

Shackleford Banks, Beaufort, NC

Date, Time: Saturday, July 16, 6a-6p

Sand dollars, wild ponies and dolphins have all been viewed on past trips to "Shack".

Manteo, NC

Date, Time: Saturday, August 6, 6a-6p

Paddle the tranquil waters of America's Lost Colony.

Coastal Kayak Notes: Coastal kayak trips are KAYAKING trips on the open sound or coastal rivers; wind, waves and powerboats are present. Participants must be in good physical condition, able to paddle consistently and with power in relation to size. Due to the capacity of the kayak, the maximum weight per paddler is approximately 240 lbs. Participants will get wet from the paddle dripping and water spraying and will be required to stay with the group.

OUTDOOR RECREATION SUMMER CAMPS

Ages: 9-12

Outdoor Recreation Summer Camps are the perfect outlet for "outdoorsy" youth, with camps spanning from Rocky Mount to Boone to Beaufort. Each camp is staffed with adult staff members with significant outdoor recreation experience.



River Rat Sumer Camp

Date, Time: Monday, June 13 - Friday, June 17

Registration deadline: June 3

Fee: \$85 per participant

A great week of paddling the Tar River, learning outdoor skills and making new friends. Camp is comprised of several day trips on the Tar River, ending with an overnight excursion.

Salty Dog Summer Camp

Date, Time: Monday, June 27- Thursday, June 30

Registration deadline: June 17

Fee: \$105 per participant

Campers will spend the first half of the week learning to paddle a kayak efficiently, then apply these skills with an overnight camping trip to coastal NC.

High Country Summer Camp

Date, Time: Monday, July 18 - Thursday, July 21

Registration deadline: July 8

Fee: \$125 per participant

Campers will spend Monday and Tuesday learning outdoor skills and "stretching" their legs; on Wednesday the camp will venture to the Boone area, to hike and camp the NC mountains, returning Thursday afternoon.

Outdoor Recreation Summer Camps Notes: Participants must be self reliant and mature as associated with to their age (9-12). Transportation, guides, tents, group camping equipment, and paddlecraft are provided. Participants

must have appropriate footwear (river sandals / hiking boots) and personal camping equipment.

CAMPING

Stone Mountain State Park Hiking and Camping

Date, Time: Sunday, September 11- Tuesday, September 13

Registration deadline: September 2

Fee: \$105 per participant / \$195 per pair

A three day, two night camping and hiking adventure at one of NC's premier State Parks. Camping will be fully supported at drive-to campsites in the State Park, within a short walk of bath houses. Trip is a multi-day excursion, departing from Rocky Mount Sunday and returning Tuesday evening. Transportation, guides, tents and camping meals provided.

Stone Mountain State Park Hiking and Camping Notes: This is a MULTI NIGHT HIKING & CAMPING trip in the NC Mountains, you must be in good physical condition. The hikes will be in the 2-5 mile range, but because of the topography this equates to approximately 5-8 miles in Rocky Mount. Participants will be required to stay with the group, unless otherwise stated. Participants must have hiking boots and personal camping equipment.

"Big Dreams Need Big Help" Nash/Rocky Mount Special Olympics 2011

For more information on volunteer or sponsorship opportunities with Nash/Rocky Mount Special Olympics, please contact John Battle at (252) 972-1155.

Program: *Sunset Easter EGGstravaganza!!*



Description: Rocky Mount, get ready for an EGGstravaganza at Sunset Park!! Enjoy arts and crafts, games, and inflatables throughout the event. Come take a photo with the Easter Bunny and stay for the Easter Egg Hunt. Sunset Park rides will be FREE during this event. Please remember to bring a basket!!

Location: Sunset Park

Ages: 0-12

Days, Dates, and Time: Saturday, April 2, 2011, 10am – 2pm

Fee: free

For more information contact Kelvin Yarrell, Recreation Superintendent, at 972-1151

Program: *Paws in the Park*

Description: Designed to promote responsible dog ownership. This will be an extremely unique event that invites polite leashed dogs and their owners to enjoy a day of activities, entertainment and education. There will be lots of food for pets and pet lovers, veterinarian and kennel vendors, and lots of family fun! This will be an event you will not want to miss!

Location: Sunset Park

Ages: All ages

Days, Date, and Times: Saturday, April 16, 2011, 11am – 3:00 pm

Fee: free

For more information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155.

Program: *SONC Track and Field Qualifier*

Description: Qualifier designed to division team for state event. Participation is mandatory for athletes in team in order to advance in state level competition.

Location: Elizabeth City, NC

Ages: 8 & up

Days, Date and Time: Saturday, April 16, 2011, 9:30am-4pm

Fee: N/A

For volunteer information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155.

Program: *Softball Qualifier*

Description: Qualifier designed to division team for state event. Participation is mandatory for athletes in

Be A Fan!



Special Olympics

team in order to advance in state level competition.

Location: Chapel Hill, North Carolina

Age: 8 & up

Days, Dates, and Time: Saturday, April 16, 2011, 9:30am–4:00 pm

Fee: N/A

For volunteer information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155.

Program: *Prom for Special Persons*

Description: This is not just a Special Populations event, but a milestone for many of our area residents with special needs. This is the day to have a delightful evening



of best dress, fine foods, and music.

Location: Imperial Center

Age: High School student or 16& up

Days, Dates, and Times: Saturday, April 23, 2011, 7:30pm-10:30pm

Fee: N/A

For volunteer information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155.

Program: *Local Special Olympic Spring Games*



Description: Athletes compete in individual skills and team competition. Local games are designed for all local area athletes to compete in local competition. Participants are able to qualify for state level events.

Location: Stadium

Age: 8 & up

Days, Date and Times: Friday, May 6, 2011, 10am-1:30pm

Fee: N/A

For volunteer information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155

Program: *Outdoor Adventure*



Description: A chance to get back to nature!

Visit the trails at the Medoc Mountain state park and experience a low impact outdoor recreational experience. Hotdogs and chips will be served but participants are encouraged to bring a small snack if need be.

Location: Medoc State Park

Age: 8 & up

Days, Dates and Times: Saturday, May 14, 2011, 10am-2pm

Fee: \$3

For more information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155

Program: *Cast for Kids*



Description: The Cast for Kids foundation joins volunteers who love to fish with disabled and disadvantaged children for a day of fishing outdoors.

Location: City Lake

Ages: 8 to 15

Days, Date & Time: Saturday, May 21, 2011, 7:30am-12pm (noon)

Fee: N/A

For volunteer information contact John Battle at john.battle@rockymountnc.gov.

Program: Community Empowerment

Description:

Location: MLK Park

Age: All ages

Days, Dates and Times: Saturday, May 28, 2011,
11am-6pm

Fee: Free

For more information contact John Battle at john.
battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155

Program: Special Olympic Summer Games

Description: The Summer Game is SONC's largest state-level event each year with nearly 1300 athletes competing across the state. Competition will be held in aquatics, athletics, gymnastics, power lifting, softball and volleyball.

Location: NC State University in Buffalo Road Softball Fields

Age: 8 & up

Days, Dates and Times: Friday, June 3, 2011—Sunday,
June 5, 2011, 9am-6pm daily

Fee: N/A

For more information contact John Battle at john.
battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155



Program: Juneteenth Celebration

Description: Juneteenth commemorates African American freedom and emphasizes education and achievement.

Location: BTW Community Center outdoor grounds

Age: All ages

Days, Dates and Times: Saturday, June 4, 2011, 1pm-6pm

Fee: N/A

For more information contact John Battle at john.
battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155

Program: Swim Class for Autistic Participants

Description: Let your child have the opportunity to receive the fundamentals of water safety, water awareness and rescue tips.

Location: Denton Street Pool

Age: 8 & up

Days, Dates and Times: Each Saturday, July 9-July 30,
1030am-12pm

Fee: \$25

For more information contact John Battle at john.
battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155



Program: Pool Party!!

Description: Fun in the sun!! Enjoy an evening at the City of Rocky Mount's outdoor swimming pool! There will be plenty of delicious food and music.

Location: Denton Street Pool

Age: All ages

Days, Dates and Times: Friday, July 8, 2011, 7pm-9pm

Fee: \$2 per person

For more information contact John Battle at john.
battle@rockymountnc.gov or 972-1155



SUNSET PARK OPENS MAY 28, 2011

Hours of operation are 1:00 pm until dark daily.

Park Amusements and spray play are available for \$1 per person. Spray Play operational hours may be effected by water conservation regulations.

Sunset Park Party Packs

Sunset Party Packs are available, in season, Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 pm in two hour increments. Party packs include exclusive use of: Four picnic tables, group train rides, group carousel, group apple rides and unlimited spray play time. The fee for up to 35 participants is \$95, additional participants are \$2 each. Spray Play operational hours may be effected by water conservation regulations.



Parks & Shelters (Amenities)

Parks & Shelters

ANIMAL SHELTER/GREENWAY **1101 N. Church Street**

AYCOCK PARK
1200 Aycock Street
2.3 acres
Softball field
Play equipment

BATTLE PARK - Shelters (3)
1300 Falls Road
56.5 acres
Greenway
Boat landing
3 picnic shelters (Group size — A - 48; B - 56; C - 40)
Overlook
Playground Equipment

4 parking lots
2 Islands
1 Gazebo (can be reserved for weddings)

BATTLEBORO COMMUNITY CENTER
280 W. Battleboro Avenue
Medium size meeting room
Kitchen

BEA HOLMAN PARK - Shelters (1)
1030 Star Street
1.5 Acre Park
1 small shelter (Group size 8)
Play field
Playground Equipment
Lighted Basketball Court

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER **721 Pennsylvania Ave nue**

4.2 acre
Gym (holds 400)
Auditorium
Meeting rooms
Arts & crafts room
Game room
TV room
Exercise room
Kitchen
Playground equipment
Banquet room 1 —(Group size 100 with/without Kitchen)
Banquet Room 2 — (Group size 80)



BOONE STREET PARK • 550 Eleanor Place
1.7 acre
Baseball backstop
Playground equipment
Basketball court

BRANCH STREET PARK • 1731 Branch Street
Small park with playground equipment

BRASWELL PARK • 411 Hickory St.
2 acres
Stream in the middle
Azalea beds
Playground
Band Stand

BUCK LEONARD PARK - Shelters (1)
929 S. Grace Street
4.1 acres
1 Picnic shelter
Tot lot
Playground equipment
Little league baseball field
Lighted basketball court (3)

BUNN FARM • 4533 Lessie Trail

CHARTER OAKS PARK - Shelters (1)
1717 Neville Lane
3.5 acres
1 picnic shelter (Group size 8)
Lighted basketball court
Playground equipment

CITY LAKE PARK • 1609 Sunset Avenue
20 acres
Fishing & radio controlled boats permitted
Exotic water fowl
½ mile walkway
2 fishing piers
Island with Gazebo (Group size 25)
Lighted fountain
Popular for weddings

CLOVERDALE PARK - Shelters (1)
1714 Lenior Drive
3.5 acres
1 Picnic shelter (Group size 32)
Basketball court
Baseball backstop
Playground equipment

CONFEDERATE MONUMENT • 1300 Falls Road

DAUGHTRIDGE PARK • 1142 Cokey Road
2.5 acres
Softball field
Playground equipment

EASTERN AVENUE PARK - Shelters (1)
1010 Eastern Avenue
8.2 acres

2 lighted tennis courts
1 Picnic shelter — (Group size 64)
Playground equipment
2 Lighted softball fields
1 Little leaguer baseball field

ENGLEWOOD PARK - Shelters (2)
(Also known as Stone Park)
301 Old Mill Road

18.5 acres
Lighted softball/baseball fields
Soccer field
Little league baseball field
2 Picnic shelters (Group Size - Shelter A 48; Shelter B 54)
Playground equipment
¼ mile trail
4 lighted tennis courts
1 lighted basketball court

FARMINGTON PARK • 3109 Wellington Drive
32.9 acres
Little league field with dugouts
Lights
Batting cages
Playground equipment (ages 5-12)
18 hold disc golf course

GROVER LUCAS PARK - Shelters (1)
(Formerly Easonburg Park)
551 S. Halifax Road
10.5 acres
Playground equipment
Play field
1 Picnic Shelter (Group size 54)
2 lighted little league baseball fields
Basketball court
Restrooms

HISTORIC TREE PARK • 962 Bethlehem Road
2 picnic shelter (Group size 24)
Lighted basketball court
Baseball backstop
Playground equipment

HOLLY STREET PARK - Shelters (1)
315 Olive Street
3.4 acres
1 small shelter
Lighted basketball court
Baseball backstop
Playground equipment

HOME STREET PARK - Shelters (1)
301 Home Street
2.7 acres
1 Picnic shelter (Group size 24)

Lighted basketball court
Playground equipment
Small play field

HORNBEAM PARK - Shelters (1)

170 Cunningham Drive

10.5 acres
Lighted softball field
Lighted little league field
Restroom facilities
Picnic shelter (Group size 32)
Playground equipment

JACK LAUGHERY PARK • 321 N. Church Street

KITE PARK • 535 Marigold Street

1 acre
Playground equipment

LANCASTER PARK • 1509 Barnes Street

4.2 acre
Basketball court
Playground equipment
Baseball backstop

MARIGOLD PARK - Shelters (1)

900 Marigold Street

4.1 acre
Lots of shade
1 picnic shelter (Group size 24)
3 tennis courts
1 small play field
Playground equipment

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. PARK - Shelters (2)

775 Leggett Road

28 acres
Martin Luther King Memorial,
Paths
Benches
Fields for walking or picnicking
2 Picnic shelters – (Shelter A 80; Shelter B 80)

MEADOWBROOK PARK - Shelters (1)

509 Glendale Drive

9.6 acres
1 Picnic shelter (Group size 48)
Playground equipment
Lighted basketball court
4 lighted tennis courts
1 lighted baseball field

OAKWOOD DRIVE MINI PARK

1109 N. Oakwood Drive

.3 acres
Lots of shade
Benches
Playground equipment

PATTERSON DRIVE PARK • 105 Patterson Drive

3.6 acres
A small creek
Benches
Lots of shade

POWELL PARK • 901 Tessie Street

.4 acres
Half basketball court
Benches
Playground equipment

R.M. WILSON GYM • 311 Hill Street

SOUTH ROCKY MOUNT COMMUNITY CENTER

517 Ravenwood Drive

Gym
Kitchen
Game room
Exercise rooms (2)
Arts & crafts room
TV room
Meeting rooms
2 lighted softball fields
Concession stand
Lighted basketball court
Volleyball
Horse shoe pits
Little league field
4 lighted tennis courts

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SOUTHSIDE PARK - Shelters (1)

513 Clayton Street

6.6 acres
Play field
1 Picnic shelter (Group Size 16)
Lighted basketball court
1 tennis court
Playground equipment

SPORTS COMPLEX • 700 Independence Drive

STITH-TALBERT PARK - Shelters (3)

210 Spruce Street

28.33 Acres
Playground equipment
3 picnic shelters/grills (Group size Shelter A 64)
Lights & electrical outlets
2 lighted basketball courts
Concession stand
Restrooms
4 lighted tennis courts
A tennis backboard
Fishing pier
Little league field
1 lighted baseball field
1 lighted soccer field
Concrete entertainment stage with electrical outlets
Walking/bike trail



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SUNSET PARK - Shelters (4)

550 N. Taylor Street

25 acres
Mini train
Merry-go-round
Concession stands
2 lighted basketball courts
A boat ramp
4 Picnic shelters (Group sized Shelter A 120, BCD – 50-60)
Little League field
11 lighted tennis courts
A sprayground
Tennis backboard

SYCAMORE STREET PARK

511 Eastern Avenue

TAYLOR PARK • 413 Wildwood Avenue

4 acres
Trail
Small playground

TENNIS COURT • 254 W Battleboro Avenue

THELONIUS MONK PARK - Shelters (1)

(Formerly Dunn Street Park)

920 S. Washington Street

6 acres
Playground equipment
Picnic shelter – (Group size 48)
A baseball backstop
Lighted basketball court

THREE SISTERS PARK • 210 Walter Drive

VIETNAM MEMORIAL • 1603 Sunset Ave

WESTERN AVENUE PARK • 915 Western Avenue

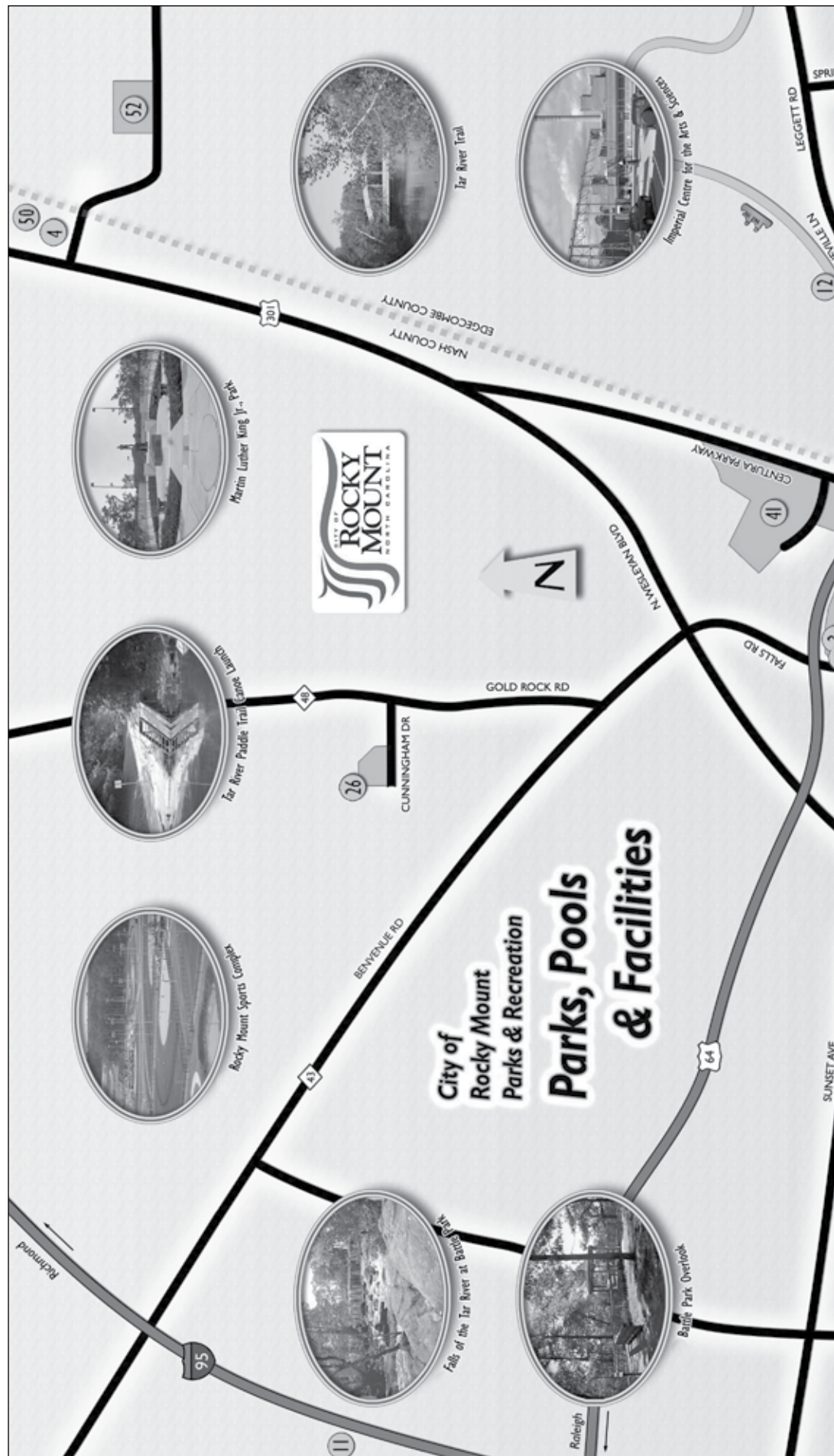
1.5 acres
Open play space
Basketball goal
Playground equipment

WESTRIDGE PARK • 3499 Amherst Road

WILDWOOD PARK • 1607 Waverly Drive

Parks Map

1. Animal Shelter/Greenway
• 1101 N. Church Street
2. Aycock Park • 1200 Aycock Street
3. Battle Park • 1300 Falls Road
4. Battleboro Community Center
• 280 West Battleboro Avenue
5. Bea Holman Park • 1030 Star Street
6. Booker T. Washington Community Center
• 721 Pennsylvania Avenue
7. Boone Street Park • 550 Eleanor Place
8. Branch Street Park • 1731 Branch Street
9. Braswell Park • 411 Hickory Street
10. Buck Leonard Park • 929 S. Grace Street
11. Bunn Farm • 4533 Lessie Trail
12. Charter Oaks Park • 1717 Neville Lane
13. City Administrative Complex
• 331 S. Franklin Street
14. City Lake Park • 1609 Sunset Avenue
15. Cloverdale Park • 1714 Lenoir Drive
16. Confederate Monument • 1300 Falls Road
17. Daughtridge Park • 1142 Cokey Road
18. Denton Street Pool • 1434 Denton Street
19. Eastern Avenue Park • 1010 Eastern Avenue
20. Englewood Park • 300 Old Mill Road
21. Farmington Park • 3109 Wellington Drive
22. Grover Lucas Park • 551 S. Halifax Road
23. Historic Tree Park • 962 Bethlehem Road
24. Holly Street Park • 315 Olive Street
25. Home Street Park • 301 Home Street
26. Hornbeam Park • 170 Cunningham Drive
27. Imperial Centre for the Arts and Sciences
28. Jack Laughery Park • 321 N. Church Street
29. Kite Street • 431 Branch Street
30. Lancaster Park • 1509 Barnes Street
31. Marigold Park • 900 Marigold Street
32. Martin Luther King, Jr. Park • 775 Leggett Road
33. Meadowbrook Park • 509 N. Glendale Drive
34. Oakwood Drive Mini Park • 1109 N. Oakwood Drive
35. Patterson Drive Park • 105 Patterson Drive
36. Powell Park • 901 Tessie Street
37. R.M. Wilson Gym • 311 Hill Street
38. Senior Center • 427 S. Church Street
39. South Rocky Mount Community Center and Park
• 517 Ravenwood Drive
40. Southside Park • 513 Clayton Street
41. Sports Complex • 700 Independence Drive
42. Stith-Talbert Park • 210 Spruce Street
43. Sunset Park • 550 N. Taylor Street
44. Sunset Park Extension • 1422 River Drive
45. Sycamore Street Park • 511 Eastern Avenue
46. Tar River Paddle Trail
47. Tar River Reservoir • "Bend of the River" & Sapony Creek
48. Tar River Trail
49. Taylor Park • 413 Wildwood Lane
50. Tennis Court • 254 W. Battleboro Avenue
51. Thelonius Monk Park • 920 S. Washington Street
52. Three Sisters Park • 210 Walter Drive
53. Vietnam Memorial • 1603 Sunset Avenue
54. Virginia Street Park • 1216 E. Virginia Street
55. Western Avenue Park • 915 Western Avenue
56. Westridge Park • 3499 Amherst Road
57. Wildwood Park • 1607 Waverly Drive



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270 GAY STREET

ARTS CENTER HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday..... Closed
Tuesday – Saturday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sunday 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

YOUTH CLASSES

Program: Creativity Cultivators

Description: This multi-media class will be loads of fun for little hands! Students will use painting, printing, clay, and much more each week.



Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Age: 4 – 5

Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Times: Thursdays, April 7 – April 28, May 6 – May 26, 4:00pm – 5:00pm

Fee: \$35 city resident / \$44 non-resident

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Program: Creation Lab

Description: These classes will draw on the Arts Center's current exhibits. Classes will travel to the main galleries and learn about artists and their techniques. In the studio, students will then create a corresponding activity. Students will learn the fundamentals of painting, clay, drawing, assemblage, and much more.



Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Age: 6 - 11

Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Times: Tuesdays, April 5 – April 26, May 3 – May 24, 4:00pm – 5:00pm

Fee: \$37 city resident / \$46 non-resident

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Program: Youth Pottery

Description: Students will get a little messy in this hands-on clay class while learning to make functional as well as sculptural pieces. Students will also experience the potter's wheel. Each month of classes will provide different projects.



Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Age: 6-14

The Rocky Mount Arts Center strives to build bridges to the arts, offering opportunities, resources and creative outlets for all.

Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Times: Mondays, April 4 – April 25, May 2 – May 23, 6:00pm -7:00pm

or Thursdays, Feb.3 – Feb.24, March 3 – March 24, April 7 – April 28, May 5 – May 26, 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Fee: \$40 city resident / \$50 non-resident (Per Session)

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Program: Kids Night Out

Description: Enjoy a night at the theatre while your little ones have a ball of their own. Kids will enjoy a pizza dinner, hands on craft activities, and a movie.



Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Age: 6-14

Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Times: Friday, April 29, 5:30pm – 9:30pm

Fee: \$30 city resident / \$38 non-resident (Per Night)

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

ADULT CLASSES

Program: Arts Immersion

Description: A new program supported in part by the National Endowment for the Arts. Experience the Arts Center through our main galleries, hands on activities, meet with an artist and explore our theatre. Call to register your group today before all the dates are gone.

Location: The Imperial Centre

Ages: 16 and Up

Instructor: David Nields, Catherine Coulter and Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Time: Thursday, January – May, 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Fee: None

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Program: Project Swap

Description: For teachers only. Let's do some brain storming and share some ideas. Bring your favorite projects and share with the rest of the class. Bring copies to share and examples.

Location: Arts Education Building

Ages: Teachers of all ages

Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Time: Mondays, April 4, May 2, 6:00pm – 7:30pm

Fee: None

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Program: Mini Clay Class

Description: Learn the basics on how to get started in the clay studio. This quick two day workshop will prepare you for classes and open studio. Students will have at least one final product to be picked up the week following.

Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Ages: 16 & Up

Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Days, Dates, Time: Thursday and Friday, April 7 and 8, 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Fee: \$20 city resident / \$25 non-resident

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

Program: Art Speak

(Previously called "Art Critiques")

Description: This monthly roundtable is for artists of all levels seeking feedback on their current work or information on how to present their work professionally for exhibitions, galleries, shops, and grants. Discussions include peer critiques of current works, photographing work, portfolio building, resume writing, grant writing, artist statements, working with galleries, how to enter exhibitions, and overall presentation of yourself as a professional artist. For more info contact Catherine Coulter 972-1175 or catherine.coulter@rockymountnc.gov.

Location: The Arts Education Building at the Imperial Centre

Ages: Adult (high school seniors may attend)

Moderator: Catherine Coulter

Days, Dates, Time: Thursdays, April 21, May 19, 7:00pm start time. Length depends on participants.

Fee: None

Registration Info: Register at the Arts Center, 270 Gay Street, or by phone at 972-1163

TRIPS

WILMINGTON, NC

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June 18th
9:00am – 6:00pm
\$160 city resident / \$175 non resident

This overnight trip to Wilmington, NC will explore the Kure Beach Aquarium, visit the Cameron Museum, and spend time discovering the Cotton Exchange. Hotel accommodations and admissions are included.

NC MUSEUM OF ART

September 10th
9:00am – 4:00pm
\$10 city resident / \$12.50 non resident

Visit the newest edition to the North Carolina Museum of Art. A 127,000 square foot building with surrounding sculpture courtyard houses the museums permanent collection as well as 30 Auguste Rodin sculptures.

WORKSHOPS

JAPANESE EMBROIDERY

May 7-8, Aug 20-21, Oct 8-9
Saturday, 9:00am-5:00pm, Sunday, 9:00am-3:00pm
Instructor: Carl Newman

\$68 city resident / \$85 non-resident

Originating in China, this thousand year old needle art was refined and perfected in Japan for decorative objects and especially for kimono and obi. The embroideries are worked on silk and fabric held in a wooden frame. The stitching is done with silk and metal threads using Japanese needles and other tools. Carl Newman is certified by the Japanese Embroidery Center in Atlanta and has many years of teaching experience. Stitchers of all skill levels are welcome, but pre-registration is required. *To determine your individual skill level, project for the workshop, and material fee, contact the instructor, Carl Newman, at 336-784-6886 or by email at [HYPERLINK](mailto:HYPERLINKmailto:cnewman706@aol.com) "mailto:cnewman706@aol.com" cnewman706@aol.com

JEWELRY MAKING

Laura Avery
May 21
\$40 city resident / \$45 non resident

Learn to make your own ceramic pendants, earrings, and bracelets in this workshop. We'll explore different texturing and construction methods, and talk about glazing and firing. This workshop is open to all levels--we will work in a relaxed, open studio environment, exchanging ideas and learning from one another. Students should bring all of their favorite clay tools, stamps and texturing tools, as well as any drawings and ideas for their jewelry pieces.

SPECIAL EVENTS

KIDS DAY CELEBRATION

Sunday, March 20
1:00pm – 4:00pm

Join us in celebration of Youth Art Month and the annual Young At Art Exhibition. Enjoy fun, educational,



family activities throughout the day. There will be plenty of hands-on activities for all ages.

YOUNG AT ART

Nash/Edgecombe Elementary and Middle Schools Exhibition

March 19 – April 6
Studio Theatre, Arts Education Building
Opening reception: March 20, 1:00pm - 4:00pm



NEW AESTHETIC

Nash/Edgecombe High School Art Exhibition

January 29 – May 15
Studio Theatre, Arts Education Building
Opening reception: January 30, 2:00pm- 4:00pm

GUILD MEETINGS

The Rocky Mount Arts Center is home to several non-profit educational organizations focusing on various arts and crafts. These organization function as guilds, offering monthly meetings and educational programming for the public and special workshops and opportunities for members. All Guilds meet at the Arts Education Building at the Imperial Center for the Arts and Sciences unless otherwise noted. For contact information on any of the Guilds, please call the Arts Center at (252)972-1163. Visitors and beginners are welcome at all Guild meetings.

TAR RIVER BASKETWEAVERS

This group is dedicated to the art of basket making. Teaching is accomplished through shared experience and knowledge.
Meets 4th Tuesday, Monthly, 7:00pm Until
Battleboro Community Center

TAR RIVER PIECEMAKERS QUILTING GUILD

Established in 2000, TRPQG promotes the love of quilts and quilt making. This group has a passion for fabric, design, and art which they share with the community through donations to various charitable organizations.
Meets 2nd Saturday Monthly
9:00am social, 9:30am – 12:00pm meeting

EMBROIDERER'S GUILD OF AMERICA, THE TAR RIVER CHAPTER

EGA provides the opportunity to meet with other stitchers, attend regular schedules meeting with programs and social activities, receive local newsletter, and participate in region activities. Chapters offer workshops, sponsor exhibits, and hold stitch-ins.
Meets 2nd Tuesday Monthly
7:00pm – 9:00pm

USA DANCE

The Rocky Mount Chapter of this national organization strives to promote ballroom dancing in the local community and to educate the public regarding the physical, mental, and social benefits of ballroom dancing.

\$7 at the door, \$5 for members
Meets 2nd Saturday Monthly
7:00pm – 10:30pm

EXHIBITIONS

Please join us for a free public reception celebrating the opening of the Summer Exhibits on Sunday, June 5, 2011, from 2:00-4:00pm.



KILLEBREW COLLECTION

May 21 – September 11, 2011

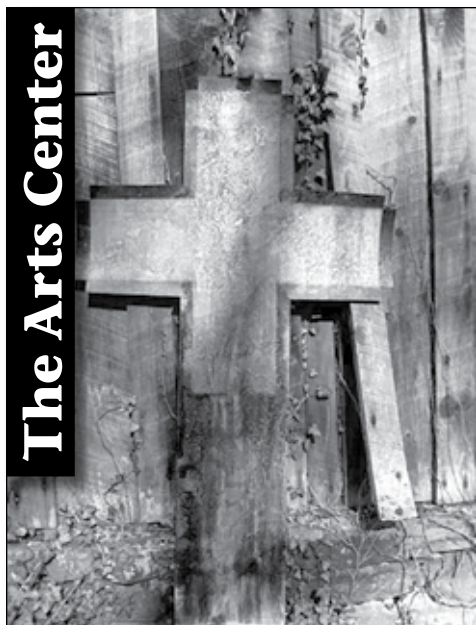
Charlie Killebrew spent decades recording everyday life in eastern North Carolina with his camera, both as a photographer for the local paper and from his photo studio. The result is over 500,000 negatives, a collection that has been called the best chronicle of every day life in eastern North Carolina in the country. Documenting and printing the collection is an ongoing process, but the Arts Center is pleased to present, in collaboration with Braswell Memorial Library, a hint at some of the gems unearthed thus far.



CHARITY VALENTINE

May 14 – September 11, 2011

Valentine began her photography career with the US Air Force before completing an MFA from East Carolina University. She currently lives in Goldsboro and is the Coordinator for the new Fine Art Program at Pitt Community College in Greenville, NC. Her work has been widely exhibited throughout the US and her images have appeared in Photographers Forum and the 2007 North Carolina Literary Review.



WILLIAM NEIL COLEMAN: I AM

May 14 – September 18, 2011

A Rocky Mount native raised in Red Oak, Coleman nurtured his interest in the arts through study at various colleges and working in a gallery setting. Coleman worked on and off for the Rocky Mount Arts Center from age 16 until moving to Penland School of Crafts in 2008. There he honed his style of assemblage and began creating unique works that relate to his roots. Currently a curator at the Turchin Centre for the Arts in Boone, this will be his first solo exhibition.

JURIED ART SHOW

June 4 – September 25, 2011

The Juried Art Show (JAS) is a national juried fine arts exhibition attracting entries from across the United States. Works of all media are eligible including film and animation. A different unbiased juror is contracted each year to make selections; 2011's Juror is David Edgar.



JOHN CARRASCO III: THE SPACE INBETWEEN

June 4 – September 25, 2011

Carrasco's innovative wood sculptures embody the delicate stability between the physical object and the space it inhabits and implies. Carrasco currently lives in Bloomfield, CO and holds an MFA from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He has exhibited widely and holds numerous awards including Best in Show of the Arts Center's 2008 Juried Art Show.

Theatre

PERFORMANCES

All performances take place in the Theatre at the Imperial Centre. Call (252) 972-1266 to order your season tickets today!

GYPSY

Music by Jule Styne, Lyrics by Stephen Sondheim;

Book by Arthur Laurents

March 4, 5, 11 & 12 @ 7:30 pm, March 6 13 & @ 2:00 pm

One of the greatest musicals of American Theatre springs to life on the Imperial Centre stage. It tells the story of Rose, the ultimate stage mother, who pushes her two daughters to succeed in the spotlight... at any cost. With great songs ("Let Me Entertain You," "Everything's Coming Up Roses"), great book, and great characters, this promises to be a unforgettable night in the theatre.

TUESDAYS WITH MORRIE

by Jeffrey Hatcher and Mitch Albom, Based on the book by Mitch Albom

April 29, 30 May 6, 7 @ 7:30 pm; May 8 @ 2:00 pm.

Auditions: Wed and Thur, March 16 and 17, 7:00 pm-9:00 pm

This tender and moving play, based on the beloved book by Mitch Albom, reminds us how to laugh, love, and especially, live.

YOUNG ACTORS' THEATRE

Ages: 13-17

June 13-July 2nd, Monday-Friday, 12:30-5:15

Young Actors' Theatre is a three week intensive theatre workshop geared to expose teens to the many facets of theatrical production. They will explore many different theatrical techniques, including mime, stage combat, and puppetry. The program culminates with a fully realized production, performed on Friday, July 1st (7:00 pm) and Saturday, July 2nd (2:00). The show this year is (tentatively) based on stories by Edgar Allan Poe (and yes, it will be scary!!!!)

Three scenes from Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream", 2010.



PLAYSHOP

Ages: 8-12

July 11-30, Monday-Friday, 12:30-5:15

PlayShop is an opportunity for young actors to experience and create the magic of theatre themselves. This workshop offers students an opportunity to work on sets, props, and costumes, and to rehearse a fully realized production, performed on Friday, July 29th (7:00 pm) and Saturday, July 30th (2:00). This year's show is (tentatively) titled: Dinosaurs!

A LESSON BEFORE DYING

by Romulus Linney, Based on the novel by Ernest J. Gaines

September 16, 17, 23, 24 @ 7:30 pm; Sep 25 @ 2:00 pm.

Auditions: Aug 3 and 4, 7:00 pm-9:00 pm

Based on Ernest Gaines's best selling book (which was selected for the Tar River Reads community-wide reading program), this play is a powerful and provocative story of a young African-American man accused of murder and his journey toward manhood. It also presents the parallel journey of the young school teacher who guides him on that journey. The production will be presented in the newly renovated Booker T. Theatre in the historic Douglas block, and promises to be a very special event.



"The Mystery of Irma Vep", 2010.



Children's Museum/Arts Center Summer Camps

2011 DAVINCI FULL DAY SUMMER CAMPS

Location: Imperial Centre for Arts & Sciences

Days/Times: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 5:00pm

Ages: 7-12

Fee: \$120.00 City Residents (\$145.00 Non-Residents)

Registration: Registration and payment must be made on or before the Thursday prior to camp start. Early drop-off begins at 8:15am; late pick-up available until 5:45pm.



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Blast Off!

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center doing related activities. Activities for this week: Start your summer camp experience at the Imperial Centre with a blast!

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, June 14-18, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: S. Schmidt



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Roots & Shoots

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for this week: leaves, and seeds, and flowers – oh my! Explore the world of plants and gardening from roots and shoots to flowers and fruits! Garden in the great outdoors to see where we get our food, homes, air and more!

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, June 20-24, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer

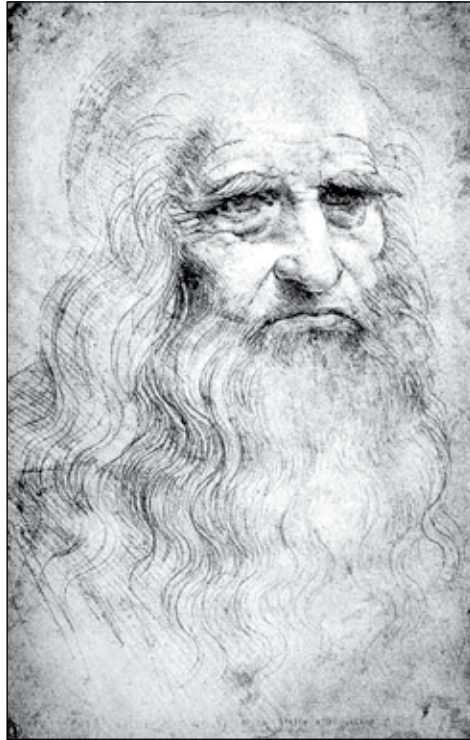


Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – S.O.S.: Survive on Science

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for this week: Discover what nature has to offer while trying to survive in the wild. Learn the secrets to finding food and finding your way. You won't be left out in the cold after you build a shelter and learn how to make a fire.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, June 27 - July 1, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Chemystery & Fizz-ics

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for this week: Investigate some really cool science. Discover the secrets of matter, mixing, motion, and magnets by doing experiments, making projects, and inventing.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 11-15, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Let's Hear it for Sound

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center, and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for the week: I'm picking up good vibrations... Shake, rattle and roll into this musical extravaganza as you tune into music and discover what makes it happen. We will look at how sound is made, and experiment with making and even seeing sound waves. Once have sound all figured out, it's time to create our own music and make some scientific sound!

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 18-22, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – The Science of Sound

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount



Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center experimenting and doing hands-on science activities; afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center doing art, dance, and music activities. Science activities for this week: I'm picking up good vibrations... Shake, rattle and roll into this musical extravaganza as you tune into music and discover what makes it happen. We will look at how sound is made, and experiment with making and even seeing sound waves. Once have sound all figured out, it's time to create our own music and make some scientific sound!

Location: Imperial Centre for Arts & Sciences

Ages: 7-12

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 18-22, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer

Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Where the Wild Things Are

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for this week: Where ARE the wild things? In the great outdoors, of course! And that's where we are going, too! Discover the nature in your own backyard—and in your imagination!

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 25-29, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Can You Dig It?

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for this week: Dirt isn't just what you track on the carpet – it's important stuff! We'll get down and dirty digging rocks, fossils, plants and more!

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, August 1-5, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Science Instructor: M. Brewer



Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – Space Week

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Let's explore the vastness of space together, and discover great facts about stars, planets, and galaxies.



DaVinci Summer Camps

DaVinci Summer Camps

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, August 8-12, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Science Instructor: S. Schmidt

Program: DaVinci Summer Camp – CSI: Museum

Description: This is a joint camp with the Rocky Mount Arts Center – mornings will be spent at the Children's Museum & Science Center and afternoons will be spent at the Arts Center. Activities for this week: Be a crime scene investigator and help us solve a mystery! We'll analyze evidence, such as footprints, fingerprints, and ink stains, to solve a crime. Each day's mystery includes logic puzzles, a story, and a chance for your camper to be the detective hero.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, August 15-19, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Science Instructor: L. White

2011 LITTLE DAVINCI SUMMER CAMPS

A joint camp between the Rocky Mount Children's Museum and the Arts Center. Introduce your "little DaVinci" to the wonders of art and science. Explore art and science with fun, hands-on activities and games.

Location: Imperial Centre Education Building

Days/Times: Tuesdays and Thursdays

Ages: 5-6

Fee: \$45.00 City Residents (\$57.00 Non-Residents)

Registration: Registration and payment must be made on or before the Friday prior to camp start.

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – Fossils & Dinos!

Description: This week your budding scientist will explore the ancient world of dinosaurs and dig up a few fossils – to keep!

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, June 14 & 16, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – Rockin' Reptiles & Amazing Amphibians

Description: We'll explore the scaly and slimy world of reptiles and amphibians this week.

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, June 21 & 23, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – Space Cadets

Description: Explore the planets of our solar system, and learn what it takes to be a real astronaut!

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, June 28 & 30, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – My Backyard

Description: Grow a green thumb learning about flowers, plants, and trees; learn all about the critters that call your yard home!

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, July 12 & 14, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – The Science of ME!

Description: Learn all about YOU! Discover your five senses, create crafts, inspect your insides, and more.

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, July 19 & 21, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – Incredible Insects

Description: Learn all about ants, go crawling with caterpillars, and get the buzz on bees. Create creepy crawly crafts, inspect insects, and more.

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, July 26 & 28, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – Whiz, Bang, Splat!

Description: Explore, Invent and Discover! A hodge-podge of cool, fun, and exciting hands-on activities and experiments!

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, August 2 & 4, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

Program: Little DaVinci Summer Camp – Life's A Beach!

Description: We'll bring the sand and surf to you! Learn about the animals and science of the ocean!

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday & Thursday, August 9 & 11, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

2011 ARTS CENTER HALF DAY CAMPS

Location: Arts Education Building

Days/Times: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 12:00pm

Ages: 7-12

Fee: \$60.00 City Residents (\$73 Non-Residents)

Registration: Registration and payment must be made on or before the Thursday prior to camp start. Early drop-off begins at 8:15am; late pick-up available until 12:45pm.

Program: Native American Arts

Description: Create art pieces in the Native American style including pottery, jewelry and more.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, June 13-18, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Victoria Hunter

Program: Just Draw It!!

Description: Learn the basics of how to draw. Experiment with portraits, animals, landscapes and more in this hands-on art class.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, June 20-24, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Program: Let's Get Muddy

Description: Students will create functional pieces out of clay using both handbuilding and wheel thrown techniques. Work will be fired at the end of class and picked up the week following.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, June 27 - July 1, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Program: Printmaking

Description: Create your own printing blocks and stamps with a variety of printing making techniques involving paper, recyclables, fish, linoleum, and veggies.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 4 – July 8, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Program: Sculpture

Description: Students will create three dimensional sculptures using clay, recyclables, objects found in nature and more. Sculptures will be both small and large scale.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 11-15, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Program: Dye, Ink and Paint

Description: Create your own individual fabric designs using tie dying, marbling, fabric paint and more.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 18-22, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Program: Book It!

Description: Learn how to fold and bind creative art books. Students will make hand-made paper and story lines for each book

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, July 25-29, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

Program: Edible Art

Description: Create with food. Student will create edible and non edible projects with a variety of food items. This class will be peanut free.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, August 1-5, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin



Above: DaVinci Summer Camp – Chemystery & Fizz-ics

Right: Little DaVinci Summer Camp - Fossils & Dinos!

Program: Painting

Description: Learn the basic to get started in painting. Students will create small and large scale paintings.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, August 8-12, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin

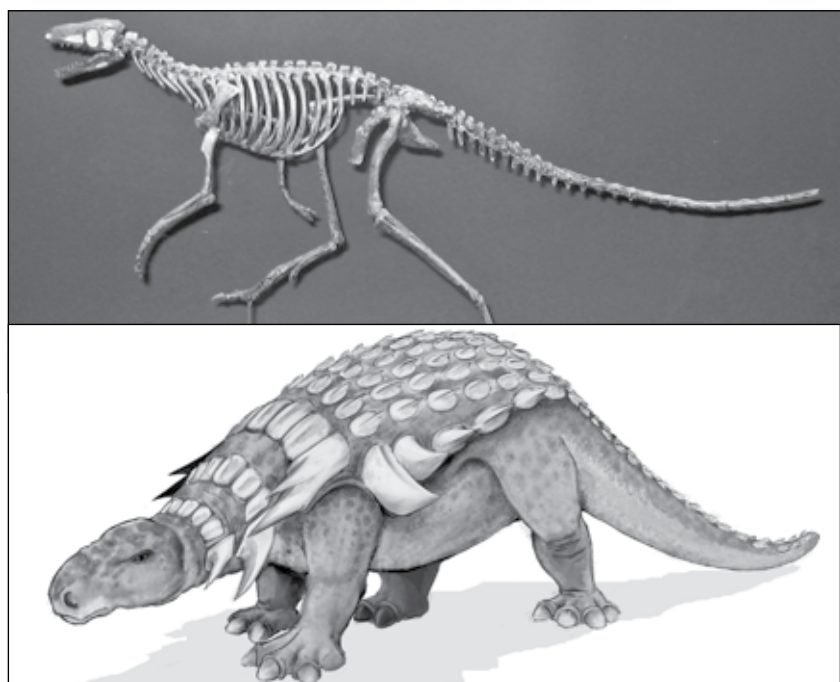


Program: Alternative Firing

Description: Barrels, sawdust and fire. Students will learn a variety of firing techniques to complete a clay object.

Day, Date & Time: Monday – Friday, August 15-19, 9:00am to 12:00pm

Science Instructor: Jennifer Rankin



270 GAY STREET

Museum Hours:

Monday Closed
Tuesday – Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Museum Admission:

Adults \$4.00
Adults 60 and older \$2.00
Children (2 yrs - 16 yrs) \$3.00
Children (1 yr & under) Free
Planetarium Admission (all ages) \$4.00

Museum + Planetarium Admission:

Adults (16 yrs – 59 yrs) \$7.50
Seniors (60 and older) \$5.50
Children (2 yrs - 15 yrs) \$6.50
Children (1 yr & under) \$4.00
Sunday Fun Day! (1pm-5pm) FREE
Museum admission for City of Rocky Mount residents!

TEMPORARY MUSEUM EXHIBITS

DINOSAURS!

(January 22, 2011-December 31, 2011)

All museum exhibits are FREE to visitors with paid admission to the Children's Museum and Science Center during regular hours of operation.

PLANETARIUM SHOWS

Planetarium Shows are presented in the Museum's Cummins Planetarium, North Carolina's first digital space theater. Planetarium admission is \$4.00 per person.

Planetarium Shows from April 1 through August 31, 2011 include the following:

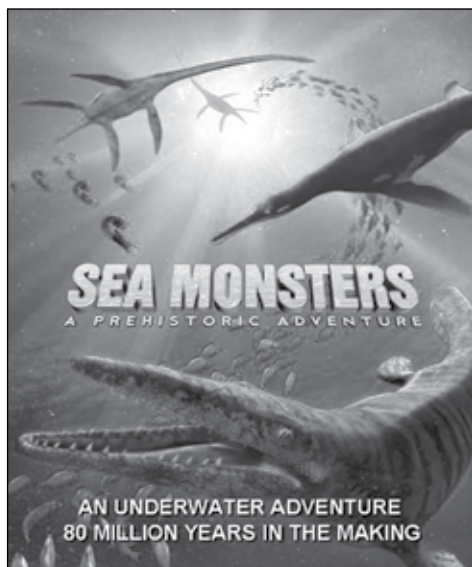
Sea Monsters - A Prehistoric Adventure

A adventure 80 million years in the making, Sea Monsters immerses us in the amazing life of a marine reptile called Dolichorhynchops (Dolly) and introduces us to the amazing variety of creatures she encounters as she makes her way through treacherous prehistoric waters!

Seasonal Stargazing

Public presentations of Sea Monsters include a short guided tour of the current night sky. Learn your way around the night sky while learning the names of the bright stars and constellations in this guided tour. Included with planetarium admission.

The CMSC (whose mission is to raise the awareness of those we serve to their global connection and "unique place in space" by encouraging their participation in science, mathematics, and technology) offers a wide variety of science exhibits and programs to its visitors. The CMSC is home to North Carolina's first digital Space Theater – Cummins Planetarium, the beautifully designed Live Animal Gallery and Trashasaurus Rex - an important exhibit about recycling and the environment.



LASER LIGHT SHOWS

Laser Light Shows presented throughout the year in the Cummins Planetarium feature a variety of artists and musical styles interpreted through the vibrant color and dazzling imagery of laser animation and graphics.

Laser Light Shows from April 1 through August 31, 2010 include the following:

Colors of the World

Take a musical journey around the world and experience wonderfully diverse musical styles from a wide variety of cultures. Musical stops include South America, Japan, China, Africa, Ukraine, Scandinavia, Australia, India, Greece, and more.

Laser Spirit

This exhilarating and patriotic laser light tribute to life in the U.S. features the rousing sounds of Aaron Copeland, Lee Greenwood, R. Kelly, Garth Brooks and others interpreted through the dazzling art of laser graphics and animation.

Laser Country * NEW *****

A round up of your all your country favorites, interpreted through the unique visual experience of a laser light concert! Artists include Trisha Yearwood, Garth Brooks, Randy Travis, George Strait, Alan Jackson, Clint Black and many more.

Weekly Planetarium Schedule

April 1 through May 30, 2011

Tuesday-Friday	1:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Colors of the World
	3:00 pm	Colors of the World
	4:00 pm	Sea Monsters
Saturdays:	11:00 am	Sea Monsters
	1:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Colors of the World
	3:00 pm	Colors of the World
Sundays:	4:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	4:00 pm	Colors of the World

Weekly Planetarium Schedule

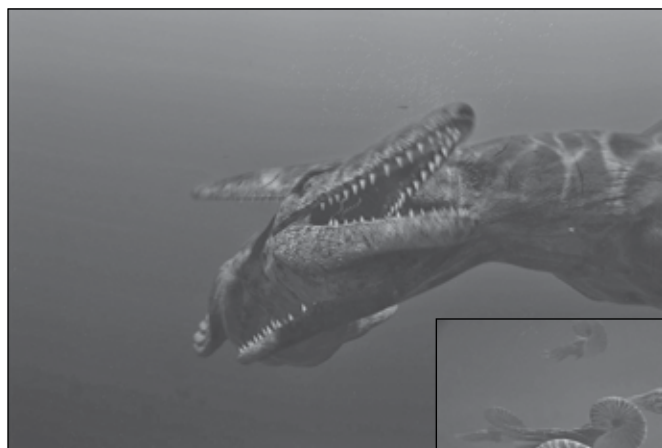
June 1 through July 31, 2011

Tuesday-Friday	1:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Laser Spirit
	3:00 pm	Laser Spirit
	4:00 pm	Sea Monsters
Saturdays:	11:00 am	Sea Monsters
	1:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Laser Spirit
	3:00 pm	Laser Spirit
Sundays:	4:00 pm	Black Holes
	2:00 pm	Black Holes
	4:00 pm	Laser Spirit

Weekly Planetarium Schedule

August 1 through September 30, 2011

Tuesday-Friday	1:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Laser Country
	3:00 pm	Laser Country
	4:00 pm	Sea Monsters
Saturdays:	11:00 am	Sea Monsters
	1:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Laser Country
	3:00 pm	Laser Country
Sundays:	4:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	2:00 pm	Sea Monsters
	4:00 pm	Laser Country



Scenes from "Sea Monsters."

ON-FLOOR SCIENCE DEMONSTRATIONS:

Exciting things happen at the museum EVERY day. During regular hours of operation, On-Floor Science Demonstrations are FREE to visitors with paid admission to the Children's Museum and Science Center. Demonstrations are also available by request for groups.

Arc & Sparks: Come enjoy this electrifying look at static, current, and chemical electricity – we'll make your hair stand on end!

Owl Pellet Autopsy: Join us as we dig through (sanitized) regurgitated owl pellets to learn more about these amazing birds of prey!

Animal Encounter: Spiders and snakes and gators – oh my! Get up close and personal with one of the museum's LIVE animals.

Living Marsh Chit-Chat: Gather around our 2,800-gallon saltwater touch pool to learn about this unique ecosystem.

Storytime with Professor Storyteller: Everyone enjoys a good story! Join Professor Storyteller for a fun-filled

adventure through a science-themed storybook.

Lung Lab: An unforgettable demonstration of the power and fragility of real mammalian lungs. Get an up-close view and understanding of the workings of your lungs and see first-hand the effects of smoking.

Gallery Walkabout: Join one of the museum's dynamic on-floor presenters as they walk you through the CMSC pointing out wonderful must-sees along the way!

Alligator Feed: If you have never seen an alligator devour their dinner, you won't want to miss this!

Segway Spin: Take a spin on one of this century's coolest inventions – the Segway Human Transporter!

IN-HOUSE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Fossil Finds (K - 6th)
Earth Bones (K-6th)
ChemTime (2nd – 12th)
Little Hands-On Science (Pre-K – 1st)
Our 5 Senses (Pre-K – 1st)
The World We Share (K – Adult)
May the Force Be With You (2nd – 9th)
*Secret of the Cardboard Rocket (K – 3rd)
*The Cowboy Astronomer (3rd – 12th)

*Stars of the Pharaohs (3rd – 12th)

*By Appointment Only [Appointment must be made at least two weeks in advance]. All museum classes are strictly limited to 25 participants (children and adults). *Planetarium programs are limited to 50 students and adults. Teaching spaces are limited and fill-up quickly. Call (252) 972-1167 for more information, program fees and to make an appointment.*

OUTREACH EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS (SCIENCE TO GO) AT YOUR FACILITY

Star Lab (2nd – 12th)
Shape Detectives (2nd – 4th)
Contents May Settle (4th – 6th)
Math-A-Palooza – All Day Fun Fair (3rd – 6th)

By Appointment Only [Appointment must be made at least two weeks in advance]. All Outreach programs are strictly limited to 35 participants (children and adults) with the exception of Assembly Programs. Please call (252) 972-1167 for more information, program fees and to schedule your Science To Go program.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Animal Tracks (Ages 5+)
Primary Colors (Ages 3-5)
Earthbones (Ages 6+)
Stone Stories (Ages 6+)
Star Party (Ages 6+)

By Appointment Only [Appointment must be made at least two weeks in advance.] Call (252) 972-1167 for more information, program fees and to make an appointment.

TAR RIVER ASTRONOMY CLUB (TRAC)

One of the best ways to begin learning about astronomy is to spend time with other experienced hobbyists. Enjoy a monthly program at the Museum, private dark-sky sessions, public star parties and outreach activities with this enthusiastic group of amateur astronomers. TRAC meetings take place at 7:00 PM on the first Thursday of most months here at the Museum & Science Center. Annual membership is \$20, and your first meeting is free.

EDUCATOR OPPORTUNITIES

We're looking for a few good educators! If you have a fun idea for a science-based, hands-on program or workshop that you would like to present at the museum call our educator at (252) 972-1367.

SCIENCE CAMPS AND WORKSHOPS

The Rocky Mount Children's Museum and Science Center is delighted to offer fun and imaginative learning experiences for the entire family. Pre-registration and advance payment are REQUIRED for ALL museum camps and workshops.

ALL AGES/FAMILY

Program: Home School Astronomy

Description: Presented in the Museum's Cummins Planetarium, this program geared specifically for home school audiences at a variety of grade levels. Learn the names of the bright stars and constellations in our current night sky as well as a little of the mythology behind them. Students also receive instruction in the use of their own beginner star chart.

Location: Children's Museum & Science Center, Cummins Planetarium

Ages: 7 to Adult

Day, Date & Time: Thursday, May 5, 10:00 am

Instructor: S. Schmidt

Fee: \$8.00 City Residents (\$9.00 Non-Residents)

Registration Information: Registration and payment required no later than 5:00 pm, Tuesday, May 3, 2011.

Program: Exploring the Summer Sky

Description: With the Summer Solstice come the shortest nights of the year, but no shortage of spectacular summer sky wonders! The Milky Way arches overhead on clear evenings, leading us through some of the brightest stars and dropping us off in the galactic center to our south. Discover the celestial riches of the summer Milky May!

Location: Children's Museum & Science Center, Cummins Planetarium

Ages: 7 to Adult

Day, Date & Time: Thursday, June 2, 10:00 am

Instructor: S. Schmidt

Fee: \$8.00 City Residents (\$9.00 Non-Residents)

Registration Information: Children under age 15 must be accompanied by a paying adult. Registration and payment required no later than 5:00 pm, Tuesday, May 31, 2011.

Program: Meteor Madness

Description: As the public becomes more aware of space science through television and movies, sightings of meteoric activity in the skies above are increasing. We'll discuss the appearance and reaction to "killer" asteroids and comets throughout human history and pre-history, as we find out how to observe the Perseid meteor shower taking place later this month.

Location: Children's Museum & Science Center, Court-yard

Ages: 6 to Adult

Day, Date & Time: Thursday, August 4, 11:00 am

Fee: \$8.00 City Residents (\$9.00 Non-Residents)

Registration Information: Children under age 15 must be accompanied by a paying adult. Registration and payment required no later than 5:00 pm, Tuesday, August 2, 2011.

YOUTH

Program: Home School Geologists I

Description: Students will become a geologist for the day as we study radical rocks and marvelous minerals! We'll investigate different types of rocks, how they form, and ways to identify them. Then, test your skills as we dig some rocks that you can keep!

Location: Children's Museum & Science Center

Ages: Children in grades K-2

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday, May 3, 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Fee: \$8.00 City Residents (\$9.00 Non-Residents)

Instructor: L.White

Registration: Registration and payment must be made on or before noon on Monday, May 2.

Program: Home School Geologists II

Description: Students will become a geologist for the day as we study radical rocks and marvelous minerals! We'll investigate different types of rocks, how they form, and ways to identify them. Then, test your skills as we dig some rocks that you can keep!

Location: Children's Museum & Science Center

Ages: Children in grades 3-5

Day, Date & Time: Tuesday, May 3, 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

Fee: \$8.00 City Residents (\$9.00 Non-Residents)

Instructor: L.White

Registration: Registration and payment must be made on or before noon on Monday, May 2.

Program: KinderScience – Rock On!

Description: Science isn't just for the big kids, the little ones love it too! KinderScience is held on the first Wednesday morning of each month and is a great way to introduce preschool age children to the wonders of science. In May we'll discover rocks and minerals – you can dig it!

Location: Children's Museum & Science Center

Ages: 3-5

Day, Date & Time: Wednesday, May 4, 10:00 am to 11:00 am

Fee: \$8.00 City Residents (\$9.00 Non-Residents)

Registration: Registration and payment, which must be made by noon Tuesday, May 3, includes paid admission to the museum for the KinderScientist and accompanying adult.

SPECIAL EVENTS AND INFORMATION

Mother's Day

at the Children's Museum & Science Center

Sunday, May 8, 2011. Celebrate Mother's Day at the Children's Museum & Science Center! All Mothers receive FREE planetarium admission when accompanied by a paying child.

Father's Day

at the Children's Museum & Science Center

Sunday, June 19, 2011. Celebrate Father's Day at the Children's Museum & Science Center! All Fathers receive FREE planetarium admission when accompanied by a paying child.

FRIENDS of the Children's Museum

Board Meetings

The FRIENDS of the Children's Museum Board meets monthly at the CMSC. Dates for meetings May through August TBA.

The Rocky Mount Senior Center's mission is to enhance the quality of life for senior adults by promoting and providing health and safety information, referral services, educational opportunities and leisure recreational activities. The senior center offers programs for senior adults 55 and over. Programs and activities include instructional classes, trips, special activities, educational and health workshops, athletic leagues and fitness center.

427 SOUTH CHURCH STREET

HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday – Thursday8:00 am - 7:00 pm
Friday8:00 am - 5:00 pm

CLASSES

Program: Senior Stretch Exercise Class

Description: A basic exercise class designed for seniors. Come early so you can walk a few laps before class begins. Wear tennis shoes and comfortable clothing.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Held monthly on Tuesday and Thursdays at 9:30AM.

Fee: \$5.00 city resident \$6.25 non resident

Registration Info: Registration is held on the first of the month.

Instructor: Sylvia Sharpe.



Program: Water Aerobic Classes

Description: Enjoy exercising and having fun in a daily exercise routine in the pool.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Class is held on Monday thru Thursday at 8:30AM & 9:30AM and held every six weeks. Sessions are: April 25th – June 2nd, June 6th – July 14th, July 18th – August 25th.

Fee: \$25.00 city resident \$31.25 non resident

Registration Info: Registration is held one week prior to class sessions. Classes are subject to change with prior notice.

Instructor: Martha Robbins.

Program: Beginner's Piano Lessons

Description: Did you ever want to learn the basics and how to play the piano? These are 25 minute one on one scheduled sessions.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Dates, Times: Monday & Tuesday, May 23rd – June 27th

Registration Info: Contact the senior center for more details and information.

Program: Create a Facebook (2 day) Workshop for beginners

Description: Find old friends, new friends and family using the social network of facebook. This workshop is designed to get your account started, get your picture on your account, and learn how to add friends and update your status.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center Computer Lab

Age: 55 and older

Days, Dates, Times: (Session 1) May 11th & 12th, (Session 2) May 18th & 19th, (Session 3) June 8th & 9th, (Session 4) June 22nd & 23rd, (Session 5) July 6th & 7th, (Session 6) July 20th & 21st, (Session 7) August 10th & 11th, (Session 8) August 24th & 25th. All sessions are 1:00-2:30PM.



Fees: City Resident: \$5.00 Non City Resident: \$5.50

Registration: (Session 1: May 9th), (Session 2: May 16th), (Session 3: June 6th), (Session 4: June 20th), (Session 5: July 1st), (Session 6: July 18th), (Session 7: August 8th), (Session 8: August 22nd).

Registration Info: Registration forms will be available at the Rocky Mount Senior Center.

Program: Assisted Computer Lab

Description: Do you like to use the computer but have questions from time to time? Come to Assisted Computer Lab where there is a trained staff person in the lab to help you.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Dates, Times: Every Monday from 10:00-11:00AM

Fees: Free

Registration Window: None

Registration Info: None

Program: Strictly No Computer Skills Class

Description: This class is designed for people who know absolutely nothing about using computers. Mouse skills, minimize, maximize, double click and more!

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Dates, Times: (Session 1) May 2nd-12th, (Session 2) May 16th-26th, (Session 3) June 6th-16th, (Session 4) June 20th-30th, (Session 5) July 11st-21nd, (Session 6) July 25th- August 4th, (Session 7) August 8th-18th, (Session 8) August 22nd-September 1st. All classes are 10:00-11:00AM, Monday – Thursday

Fees: \$7.00 city residents, \$7.50 non city residents

Registration Deadline: (Session 1: April 29th), (Session 2: May 13th), (Session 3: June 3rd), (Session 4: June 11th), (Session 5: July 8th), (Session 6: July 22nd), (Session 7: August 5th), (Session 8: August 19th).

Registration Info: You must pay and register to have a spot in the class.

DAILY ACTIVITIES

Program: Billiards

Description: The billiards room is available on a daily basis for anyone interested in playing or learning how to play.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Monday thru Friday from 9:00AM – 5:00PM.

Fee: Free



Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152

Program: *Bingo*

Description: Do you like to play Bingo? Come join the fun and win a prize the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. Bring a friend. Prizes provided by Community Home Care & Hospice.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Tuesdays; May 10th & 24th, June 14th & 28th, July 12th & 26th, at 1:00PM

Fee: Free

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152

Program: *Pinochle*

Description: Would you like to learn how to play or do you play pinochle?

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Held Monday, Tuesdays & Wednesday; Held weekly at 12:30PM.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Program: *Puzzles*

Description: Do you like working with puzzles and enjoy connecting the pieces? Join the puzzle group at your leisure and put them together.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Daily.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Program: *Bridge*

Description: Would you like to learn how to play or do you play Bridge? Join the Bridge players!

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Every Thursday at 1:00PM

Fee: Free

ATHLETIC LEAGUE

Program: *Spring/Summer Softball League*

Description: New and experience players are encouraged to join the softball league.

Location: Rocky Mount Sports Complex

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Tuesday and Thursdays; Practice games will begin May 31th and regular season begins June 7th – July 14th.

Fee: \$30.00 city resident \$37.50 nonresident

Registration Info: Register at Rocky Mount Senior Center beginning April 1st. Players Must register by May 1st to receive team shirt and cap.

Program: *3 on 3 Basketball*

Description: Join the 3 on 3 half-court basketball teams for fun and exercise.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center Gym

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Every Wednesday afternoon at 3:30PM

Fee: No charge

Registration Info: Register at Rocky Mount Senior Center

WALKING CLUBS

Club: *MLK Park Walkers*

Description: Join the park walkers for their monthly meeting. The park walkers walk daily at the MLK walking trail park.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Thursdays: May 26th, & June 23rd, July 21st & August 25th at 8:00AM. Club will take a summer break July & August and resume in September.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Club: *Gym Walkers Club*

Description: Start walking and feel better by joining the walkers who attend the gym on a daily basis. Walkers walk various times of the day.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Monday – Friday; Meet daily on your own and record your daily mileage. 8:00AM – 5:00PM

Fee: Free

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Club: *Pacesetters*

Description: Join us the first Thursday of every month to get your blood pressure taken, enjoy light refreshments and a morning exercise at the food court area in mall. This event is co-sponsored by Golden East Crossing Mall, Chic-Fil-A of Golden East Mall and the Nash County Home Health Services.

Location: Golden East Mall Food Court Area

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Thursdays; May 5th, June 2nd, July 7th & August 4th at 8:00AM.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.



SENIOR TRIPS

Program: *Mystery Trip???*

Description: Interested in taking a trip without knowing where you are going?

Location: All trips will depart/return at the parking lot located near the train station.

Please note: Refunds are given only if the trip is cancelled by the Senior Center due to lack of participation.

Days, Times, Dates: Thursday, August 25th, 2011, Depart 7:00AM and return 9:00PM

Age: 55 and older

Fee: \$60.00 city-resident \$75.00.00 non-city resident (includes transportation only)

Registration Info: Registration deadline August 12th.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Program: National Health and Fitness Day

Description: Seniors are invited to come and enjoy a fun morning of water aerobics, senior stretch, blood pressure checks, nutrition sessions and screening. There will be entertainment and refreshments.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times and Dates: Wednesday, May 25th.

Registration Deadline: May 20th.

Program: Senior Day at the Mall

Description: Seniors are invited to the mall for a morning of Exhibits Entertainment, Fitness Walk, Fashion Show and Door Prizes. Models are needed for the Fashion Show. Any senior who would like to be a part of the entertainment, Fashion Show or a volunteer for registration is asked to contact the senior center

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times and Dates: Tuesday, June 7th, registration at 8:30AM. Event begins at 9:00AM.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: Register at the entrance of Golden East Mall Crossing

Program: Stars and Stripes Independence Luncheon

Description: Seniors are invited for a morning of fun and excitement celebrating July 1st Independence. Everyone is ask to wear their Red, White & Blue colors. Everyone will receive an American Flag, a patriotic sing-a-long and hot dog luncheon. Family members are welcome.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times and Dates: Friday, July 1st, you must register by June 24th. Event begins at 11:00AM

Fee: \$3.00 for lunch per person.

Registration Info: Register at the Rocky Mount Senior Center.

Program: Rocky Mount's Largest Yard Sale

Description: "One man's junk is another man's treasure." We're selling almost anything! Dishes and glassware; clothing and shoes; household items and accessories; baby items, toddlers and teens; farm and yard equipment; the list goes on. We will also be selling baked goods and hot dogs.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center.

Days, Times, Dates: Saturday, June 11th, 6:30AM – 1:00PM

Age: Public invited

Fee: No fees. This is a fund raiser project for the Senior Center.

Registration Info: All items donated for the yard sale must be turned in to the Senior Center by June 3rd.

Program: Ice Cream Social

Description: Come and enjoy your favorite ice cream and cookies at the end of the summer social.

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times and Dates: Wednesday, August 31st at 2:00PM.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: Register by August 24th.

Program: Birthday Lunch

Description: A monthly birthday lunch is held for Seniors to celebrate their birthdays. Each birthday senior is welcome to invite one guest for the birthday lunch.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Friday, 1:00PM, May 27th, June 24th, July 29th, and August 26th.

Fee: No charge

Registration Deadline: May 24th, June 21st, July 26th, August 23rd – for each month.



SENIOR GAMES

Program: Down East Senior Games

Description: Down East Senior Games are open sanctioned by the North Carolina Senior Games and is dedicated to providing year-round health promotion and education for adults 55 years of age and better. Senior Adults in Nash, Wilson, Edgecombe, Northampton, Halifax and surrounding counties are welcome to participate. Volunteers and spectators are welcome.

Location: Hosted by the Tarboro Parks and Recreation Department.

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: May 2nd – 13th, 2011.

HEALTH PROGRAMS

The Rocky Mount Senior Center has been partnering with other agencies to assist with health related issues

and other concerns. The listing below indicates the programs and services provided by these agencies.

Program: Nash County Home Health Services

Description: Do you have questions about taking care of a loved one or need assistance dealing with Home Health Services? Need your blood pressure taken?

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: 2nd Tuesday of the month May 13th, June 9th, July 14th, & August 12th.

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Program: Medicare Part D Prescription

Description: Can you afford your prescription drugs? Do you have Medicare? Do you need help paying for your prescription drugs? Is your Medicare Part D Confusing?

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 65 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Every 3rd Thursday of the month SHIP volunteer representative Alberta Pettaway form 9:30 – 11:00AM. No appointment necessary.

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Program: Legal Aid

Description: Does the thought of planning for the future leave you dazed and confused? Legal Aid of NC, Inc of Rocky Mount will be available to answer your questions concerning Living Wills, Power of Attorneys, Housing, Employment and many other issues.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 60 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Call to make an appointment with the Legal Aid Office.

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Program: Family Caregiver Support Group

Description: Only another caregiver understands the responsibility of caring for an elderly parent or frail spouse. Meet others who know what you're going through and who shares their experiences, fears, insights, and advice.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: 3rd Monday of each month at 6:00PM. Call to make an appointment with a Caregivers Specialist with Upper Coastal Plains Area Agency on Aging.

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Program: Blood Pressure Checks

Description: Need your blood pressure taken on a weekly basis? Nash Community College Student Nursing

SENIOR CLUBS

The Senior Center sponsors several clubs throughout the city. This is a great way to meet new people, socialize and learn about senior issues and happenings. If

you are interested in a club or want to know more about these clubs contact the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Club	Location	Age	Days, Dates, Times	Fee	Registration info
Fun Time Bowlers	Bowling Center on Hwy 301 N	55 & older	Every Tuesdays at 11:00AM.	Rental cost for shoes & games.	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
Golden Years Ministry Club	Morning Star Church of Christ	55 & older	Wednesdays; May 4th, & June 1st at 10:00AM. Club will take a summer break July & August and resume in September.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
Railroad Retirees	K & W Cafeteria	55 & older	Thursdays; May 12th, June 9th, July 14th & August 11th at 11:00AM.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
Happy Hour Club	St. Paul's Baptist Church	55 & older	Mondays; May 9th, June 13th at 11:00AM. Club will take a summer break July & August and resume in September.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
MayFair Club	MayFair Club Community Building	55 & older	Mondays; May 9th, June 13th, July 11th, August 8th at 1:00PM.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
BTW Senior Club, Inc	BTW Community Center	55 & older	Wednesdays; May 11th, June 15th at 1:00PM. Club will take a summer break July & August and resume in September.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
Bassett Center Breakfast Club	Bassett Center	55 & older	May 13th, June 17th, July 15th, & August 19th at 8:30AM.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
Camaraderie Club	Mt. Zion Baptist Church	55 & older	Mondays; May 16th, & June 27th at 1:00PM. Club will take a summer break July & August and resume in September.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.
Stars of Gold	Saints Marks AME Church	55 & older	Tuesdays; May 24th, & June 21st at 10:30AM. Club will take a summer break July & August and resume in September.	Free	Call 252-972-1152 for more information.

programs provides blood pressure clinics at the senior center and at City Hall on a monthly schedule.

Location: City Hall and Rocky Mount Senior Center

Age: All ages

Days, Times, Dates: Tuesday and Wednesdays from 8:30AM – 12:00Noon.

Registration Info: For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152 for a monthly schedule.

FACILITY USE

Program: Fitness Center

Description: The fitness center has 24 units of weight equipment, recumbent bicycles, stepper and treadmills for Senior Adults to enjoy a daily workout. Orientation is required prior to usage for fitness center membership.

Location: Senior Center

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Fitness center is open Monday thru Thursday 8:00AM – 7:00PM and Friday 8:00AM – 5:00PM. Personal Trainer

Beverly Biancur is on duty every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 8:00AM – 11:00AM.

Fee: \$10.00 city-resident \$12.50 non resident

Registration Info: Orientation is conducted on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 10:00AM by appointment. Evening orientation is scheduled by appointment only.



Program: Bicycle Riders

Description: Enjoy riding bicycles 3 times a week at daily track.

Location: Rocky Mount Senior Center Outdoor Track

Age: 55 and older

Days, Times, Dates: Held weekly Mon-Wed-Fri at 9:30AM during the months of May and June.

Fee: Free

Registration Info: Helmets and bicycles will be available. For more information, please call the Senior Center at 252-972-1152.

Track Supervisor: Gene Parker

BUILDING RENTALS

The Senior Center is available for birthday parties, family reunions, wedding receptions and meetings. Applications must be submitted with rentals fees and a deposit at least two weeks prior to the event. For more information on rentals fees and charges, please call the Senior Center at (252) 972-1152.



Park Maintenance 467-4927

726 ALBERMARLE AVENUE

The Park Maintenance Division provides year round maintenance to all Parks and Recreation grounds and related facilities to ensure that each operates at its designed intent, is safe for public use and is aesthetically pleasing in appearance.

For information or to report a problem contact Steve Warren, Park Maintenance Superintendent at (252) 467-4927.



Cemetery Division

972-1158

The Cemetery Division is responsible for maintaining burial records and providing overall maintenance for the Pineview, Battleboro and Northeastern Cemeteries. (Fee schedule available upon request.) Staff is available to assist Genealogists by providing basic burial information & reference to various resources. May also assist customers by providing contact information to funeral homes and/or cemeteries in other cities and states across the USA.



436 PINEVIEW STREET

Hours of Operation

Monday - Friday 7:30 am - 4:30 pm
Open weekends and holidays by appointment only.

The City of Rocky Mount currently has spaces available in both Pineview Cemetery and Battleboro Cemetery. We sell lots in various sizes from single grave space to an eight grave lot or larger. Grave spaces are cheaper when purchased in quantity.

When selecting a Cemetery lot, you should consider:

- The location - Which cemetery is preferred? Do you want to be near other family members?
- Are monuments and markers permitted?

- Does the cemetery provide perpetual care?
- Are records readily available if need arises?
- How much is a cemetery lot?
- What other costs are associated with the lot? Examples include: burial fees; administrative fees; and misc. costs associated with installation of monuments or markers.

To learn more information about cost, opening and closing graves and the Cemetery Division call 252-972-1158 or send email to:

Linda Moore, Cemetery Supervisor

linda.moore@rockymountnc.gov

Jonathan Richardson,

Administrative Clerk

Jonathan.richardson@rockymountnc.gov

Staff Profiles:

DONALD R. WILLIAMS

Crew Supervisor – Park Maintenance Division



Donald began work with the City in 1983 as a part time Maintenance Worker. He was then hired full time in 1984 and promoted to Light Equipment Operator in 1987. He transferred to Construction Worker in 1989 and was reclassified to Construction Worker I in 1990 and promoted to Crew Supervisor in 1998. He says he has really enjoyed working with Parks and Recreation over these 27 years. He is responsible for the Sunset Park amusement rides including the G-16 train and antique carousel. His crew of eight is responsible for open space mowing, debris removal and

support of events. Basically, any job that requires a large crew is assigned to his crew.

Donald is a Rocky Mount native and a graduate of Rocky Mount Senior High School in 1983. He and his wife Allison have two grown sons Bronson and Donovan. In his time away from work he enjoys the time he spends with family, his church and anything mechanical, whether it is motorcycles, cars or trucks.

JULIE SMITH

Senior Center Supervisor, Recreation Division



Julie Smith started in the field of Parks and Recreation at the age of 17 working for the City of Newton as a lifeguard.

A 2000 graduate of Appalachian State University with a degree in Physical Education she spent her summer college vacations as Activities Director and Lifeguard for Myrtle Beach Travel Park. She was also a Physical Education teacher for 6 years and worked for the City of Hickory as an Assistant Recreation Programmer. In July of 2008 she started her career with Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation as the Senior Center Supervisor.

"I am so fortunate to have the opportunity to work with senior adults," she says enthusiastically. "I love teaching computer classes to seniors. The seniors bring such happiness to my life."

She adds, "My family is also very important to me. We stick together through thick and thin and love each other unconditionally."

ALL PARTICIPANTS

PROGRAM NAME: _____

FIRST NAME: _____

LAST NAME: _____

BIRTHDATE: MO _____ DAY _____ YR. _____

AGE (as of today): _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

PHONE (HOME) _____

PHONE (WORK) _____

PHONE (EMERGENCY NUMBER & NAME): _____

CITY RESIDENT: ☐ YES ☐ NOSEX: ☐ Male ☐ Female

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION (allergies, special medications, instructions, etc.):

_____**PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING:***I understand the following:***Refund Policy**

100% refund/credit/transfer if Department cancels program or facility rental. 85% refund if participant request 5 days in advance of program start date or 2 weeks prior to rental date. 100% transfer of **Fees:** to another Parks and Recreation program at time of withdrawal. Refunds for medical reasons are requested prior to start date of a program and/or rental and subject to verification will be granted a 100% refund. Outdoor facility usage cancelled due to inclement weather may be rescheduled pending space availability. No refund if a participant request falls within 5 days of program start date or within 2 weeks prior to rental date. Outdoor Program trips may have exceptions to this policy. Please refer to printed material received.

Photo Release Statement

Pictures or video clips may be taken while participating in City of Rocky Mount Parks and Recreation programs. If you do not concur, please contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 972-1151.

CITY OF ROCKY MOUNT*RELEASE, INDEMNITY, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK*

IN CONSIDERATION of my participation in the _____
(the "Activity") sponsored by the City of Rocky Mount, I, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, personal or legal representatives, successors and assigns, hereby agree to:

(i) RELEASE, WAIVE, FOREVER DISCHARGE and COVENANT NOT TO SUE the City of Rocky Mount, its elected officials, officers, employees, and agents (collectively the "City") from any and all claims, losses, damages, or liability (present and future), on account of injury to my person or property, including injury resulting in my death, arising out of, or in any way connected with, my participation in the Activity, including, without

limitation, to the extent permitted by law, any claim, loss, liability, or damage related (directly or indirectly) to acts or omissions (negligent or otherwise) of the City; and

(ii) INDEMNIFY, DEFEND and HOLD HARMLESS the City from and against any and all claims, losses, liability, and damages (present and future) and all costs, charges, and **Fees:** (including reasonable attorneys **Fees:**) related thereto, arising out of, or in any way connected with my participation (or the participation of the minor identified below) in the Activity or connected with the participation of anyone participating in the Activity under my auspices or with my implied or express consent, including, without limitation, to the extent permitted by law, any claim, loss, liability, or damage related (directly or indirectly) to acts or omissions (negligent or otherwise) of the City.

I understand that participation in the Activity involves the risk of injury or death, and by executing this Release, Indemnity, Acknowledgement and Assumption of Risk (this "Release"), I acknowledge and assume all risk of injury or death resulting from participation in the Activity.

I further agree that if any term or provision of this Release, or the application thereof, to any person or circumstance shall, to any extent, be deemed invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Release, or the application of such term or provision, to person or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected thereby, and each term and provision of this Release shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I have carefully read this Release and have executed the same voluntarily adopting the word "SEAL" after my name as my seal.

THIS DOCUMENT RELEASES YOUR RIGHT TO MAKE A CLAIM IF YOU HAVE AN ACCIDENT OR ARE INJURED. DO NOT SIGN IT UNLESS YOU HAVE READ IT AND UNDERSTAND IT FULLY.

Date: _____

(SEAL)
Signature of Participant

Name (print)

(SEAL)
Signature of Parent if Participant is a Minor

Name (print)



ROCKY MOUNT'S LAWN CHAIR Theatre

See you at the movies this summer!

Rocky Mount Parks & Recreation is pleased to announce that LAWN CHAIR THEATRE will return to the lawn at the Imperial Centre for the Arts & Sciences this summer!

We invite you and your family to join us for FREE family movie nights every other Friday night from June 10 until August 19.

What movies will be shown this year? That's up to YOU!

Complete the ballot below and return it to the ROCKY MOUNT CHILDREN'S MUSEUM & SCIENCE CENTER by April 1, 2011.

The selected movies will be announced in May.

For more information about LAWN CHAIR THEATRE, please visit www.imperialcentre.org, or call 972-1151.

PICK 3 FLICKS

Which movies do YOU want to see at Rocky Mount's Lawn Chair Theatre this summer?

SUMMER
2011
SCHEDULE

JUNE 10

JUNE 24

JULY 8

JULY 22

AUGUST 5

AUGUST 19

DOORS OPEN
TO THE PUBLIC
AT 7:00 PM.
MOVIES BEGIN
AT SUNDOWN.

CONCESSIONS
WILL BE
AVAILABLE.

BRING YOUR
BLANKET OR
LAWN CHAIRS!

Bring your completed ballot to the Rocky Mount Children's Museum & Science Center by April 1, 2011 for \$1 OFF ADMISSION to the Museum OR to Cummins Planetarium!

ONE COUPON/BALLOT PER PERSON

THE ROCKY MOUNT CHILDREN'S
MUSEUM & SCIENCE CENTRE

AT THE IMPERIAL CENTRE FOR THE ARTS & SCIENCES
270 GAY STREET | DOWNTOWN ROCKY MOUNT
252.972.1167 | CLOSED MONDAYS
[HTTP://MUSEUM.IMPERIALCENTRE.ORG](http://MUSEUM.IMPERIALCENTRE.ORG)

I am _____ years old.
I go to _____ School.

Put a check next to your TOP THREE favorite movies!

- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Astro Boy | <input type="checkbox"/> Imagine That | <input type="checkbox"/> Shrek |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chronicles of Narnia | <input type="checkbox"/> Mary Poppins | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (Lion, Witch, & Wardrobe) | <input type="checkbox"/> Monsters, Inc. | <input type="checkbox"/> Spy Kids |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 (Prince Caspian) | <input type="checkbox"/> Nanny McPhee | <input type="checkbox"/> The Never Ending Story |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (Voyage of the Dawn Treader) | <input type="checkbox"/> Night at the Museum | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diary of a Wimpy Kid | <input type="checkbox"/> Ratatouille | (write in your choice!) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disney Earth | <input type="checkbox"/> Shark Tales | |

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40th annual Independence Celebration

**Sunday, July 3, 2011
6 p.m. to 10 p.m.
Rocky Mount Athletic Stadium**

Celebrate Independence Day on Sunday, July 3, 2011 at the Rocky Mount Athletic Stadium. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and join your friends and neighbors for musical entertainment, food and fireworks. Gates open at 6 p.m. The celebration is sponsored by the City of Rocky Mount and the Nash County Visitors Bureau.

The opening ceremony begins at 7 p.m. including the singing of the National Anthem. There will be kid's activities. Concessionaires will have lots of delicious food, snacks, soft drinks and more. At 9:15 p.m., a spectacular fireworks presentation will conclude the event.

All traffic must use the Centura Boulevard entrances. Centura Boulevard is accessible from Highway 64, Church Street and Airport Road. Centura Boulevard will be closed from Riverside Drive to Airport Road to all traffic from 9:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Please make sure that you arrive in enough time to enjoy the event and watch the fireworks.

Bring family and friends for a traditional celebration. Come and picnic on the ball field. Blankets and lawn chairs are welcome. For more information, call 972-1151 or <http://events.rockymountnc.gov>.

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Will we see **you** this summer?

A large, stylized yellow sun with a smiling face and wearing blue sunglasses. It is positioned in the upper left of the advertisement.

Rocky Mount Summer Camps

Several Locations in Town

Featuring arts, crafts, science,
athletics, swimming & much more!

Registration begins March 7, 2011.

creating community through people, parks & programs

The logo for the City of Rocky Mount, North Carolina, featuring a stylized 'R' and 'M' with the text 'CITY OF ROCKY MOUNT NORTH CAROLINA' and 'PARKS & RECREATION' below it.

<http://parks.rockymountnc.gov>
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